

BRITISH REGAIN POSITIONS LOST NEAR LA BASSEE

Amsterdam Reports Many German Troops Being Rushed to Front for Ypres Attack.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The official statement issued in Paris tonight says the British near La Bassee have recaptured all of the trenches which they had lost momentarily, and reports gains for the allies at several other points.

A dispatch from Amsterdam says that large numbers of German troops destined for the Ypres front have been conscripted, according to the Telegram.

Fresh troops with war materials are reported to be assembling on the Ypres front, and activity on the Ostend railway is taken to indicate that another serious effort will be made to break through the allies' lines in Flanders.

French Official Statement.

The official statement by the French ministry of war says:

"Before La Bassee the British army retaken all the trenches which it momentarily lost. The Germans have abandoned the bulwark and church of Fonguivillers (to the south of Arras).

"In the sectors of Arras, Poye, Solesmes, Reims, and Perthes our batteries have destroyed two of the enemy's pieces, several field works, a number of lance bombs, and dispersed several concentrations of troops, bivouacs, and convoys.

"In the Artois, in the woods of La Gravelle, where our troops were obliged on the 29th to retreat slightly, the Germans yesterday delivered near Fontaine Madame three new attacks, which were repulsed.

German Official Statement.

BERLIN, Jan. 31.—The following statement was issued today at army headquarters:

"In Flanders yesterday there were artillery duels only.

"At Clinchy, south of the highroad between La Bassee and Bethune, and near Carancy, northwest of Arras, the Germans took some trenches."

ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION HAS NOT QUIT BELGIAN AID.

Shipping Office Closed, but Only Because Relief Body Now Has Transportation.

New York, Jan. 31.—The discovery that the shipping office temporarily opened by the Rockefeller foundation to facilitate the dispatch of food cargoes to Belgium had been closed led to the publication today of a report that the foundation had abandoned its Belgian relief work.

This was denied in a statement issued by the foundation tonight.

"While it was true that the shipping office has been closed, the statement said, its functions have been merely taken over by the New York Belgian relief commission, which had funds available to meet transportation charges and offered to pay them, so that the foundation resources could be wholly available for the purchase of supplies.

Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

New York and return, \$2.50. Tickets good going February 6, 7, and 8. Return limit, February 17. Stopover at Cleveland, Akron, Youngstown, Pittsburgh, Cumberland, Washington, Baltimore, and Philadelphia. Ticket office, 236 South Clark street.—Advertisement.

French Editor Says Germans Brought Woe to Bulgaria.

The following article is translated from *Le Petit Journal* of Paris, and was written by the editor, S. Pichon, formerly minister of foreign affairs. In it he traces the efforts of the Germans to gain the ascendancy with the government at Sofia. Germany is blamed by him for the misfortunes that overtook Bulgaria after the victories over the Turks in the recent war.

Events at Sofia indicate that it is premature to announce that an alliance has been completed, or almost completed, between Bulgaria and her former allies in the Balkans.

It was just such an announcement, unfortunately, which aroused Austro-German efforts in the capital of Tsar Ferdinand; and at the same time public sentiment at Bucharest declared itself more vigorously in favor of Roumanian intervention on the side of the allies.

Meanwhile the partisans of action, favorable to Austria and to Germany naturally renewed their efforts among Bulgarian officials. In this they were earnestly supported by the governments at Berlin and Vienna, and by the personal efforts of M. Ghenadiev, who is the leader of the Austrian party in Sofia.

Austrian Leader Changes Views.

Twenty-five years ago I recognized in M. Ghenadiev a political leader of much force and ability. But at that time he did not hold his present opinions. Even as late as 1905, at the time of the annexation of Bosnia-Herzegovina by Emperor Francis Joseph, M. Ghenadiev undertook an extended campaign in the course of which he expressed most warlike sentiments against Austria.

But since then times have changed. Now he is an active advocate of the cause which he formerly opposed with all his energy. An interview which he has permitted to be published in a Turkish journal shows to what extent he has been misled.

He now declares himself in favor of an alliance between Mussulmans and Bulgarians; he further promises the "earnest support of his party," which is the old Stamboulvite party, to the Turkey of Von der Goltz and Enver Pasha. He also declares the plans of his friends to occupy Macedonia immediately. All this seems most regular and extraordinary.

Russia Granted Independence.

In 1878 it was Russia, who created the independence of Bulgaria, and it is she who since then has as far as possible protected that independence. In 1918 it was not the fault of Russia, nor of France nor of England that Emperor Ferdinand lost in a few weeks all the important advantages which had been won on the field of battle.

The facts can be easily recalled. The glorious victories of Kirk-Killise, of Lule-Bourgas, similar to those which the Greeks and the Serbians won elsewhere; the fall of Adrianople and the army of the Turk repulsed in the trenches at Tchataldja; the government at Constantinople terrified and on the point of making a shameful surrender.

At this moment William II, who had already furnished arms and ammunition through Maj. von Strempel, military attaché of the German embassy, intervened and counseled further resistance.

GREECE MAY AID SERBIA.

Awaits Only Another Austrian Invasion, Report—Passes Arms to Balkan Neighbor.

[RECEIVED TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

ROME, Jan. 31.—According to information obtained from diplomatic sources here, Greece has decided to aid Serbia if another Austrian invasion of Serbia is attempted. Meanwhile Greece is allowing munitions of war destined for Serbia to be landed at Salonika without heeding Austrian and German protests.

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BATTLE RAGING IN CARPATHIANS; RUSS ARMY TEST

Austrians, Aided by Germans, Begin Great Offensive Move; Czar Claims Successes.

[RECEIVED TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

ROME, Jan. 31.—An uncensored dispatch from Budapest says that a new Russian army has invaded Hungary. The new army entered Hungary through the Dukla pass, after turning the left wing of the Austro-German forces massed to the northward of the eastern Carpathians. The dispatch states unreservedly that the Russians are advancing unmolested at this point.

PERITOGRAD, Jan. 31.—For the fourth time since the commencement of the war the Carpathian mountains between Dukla and Yskow pass are the scene of a pitched battle.

The previous battles were between Russians and Austro-Hungarians, but in that which is now developing the Austrians and Hungarians have the assistance of the German armies and are assuming a vigorous offensive.

Despite this, the Russian reports assert that the preliminary fighting has turned to the advantage of Russia, and that prisoners and guns have been captured.

The Russians also are pushing their offensive in East Prussia, while the Germans continue their attack on the Russian positions in central Poland.

Russians Use the Bayonet.

The Russian general staff today gave out the following statement:

"In the region of the forests north of Pihalkien and Gumbinnen (East Prussia) the battles continue. Here, in the region of the village of Lebagalen, we repulsed the Germans by a counter attack with bayonets.

"On the left bank of the Vistula at the approaches to Borkimow the Germans during the night of Jan. 29 and the next day repeated their attacks upon our positions, but were everywhere thrown back with great losses."

Carpathian Battle On.

"On the Carpathian front, in the passes of Dukla and Yskow, the fighting gradually is assuming the character of a general battle.

"In this region the Austrians, having concentrated contingents from some of their adjoining sectors and from other fronts, have attempted to deliver an offensive through the valley of the lower San and the roads leading across the passes to Sambor and Strz.

"During the 28th and 29th battles in the Carpathians were favorable to us in several sections of our front. Particularly fortunate was our offensive in the region of the village of Nijnia-Pulanka, southwest of Dukla (Galicia), where by bayonet attacks we captured three lines of the enemy's trenches.

"During these two days we took 30 more officers and 2,500 soldiers prisoners, captured two rapid fire guns and one cannon.

"Russo in Black Sea Raids.

"On the Black sea, on Jan. 27, our fleet hunted out, near Samsoon, the Turkish cruisers Medjidieh and Breslau, pursuing them until nightfall. On Jan. 28, 29, and 30 our torpedo craft sank several Turkish sailing ships.

"On the 28th one of them effected a raid upon Trebizond, where, after cannonading the enemy's troops, which fled, it damaged barracks and four depots.

"The same torpedo boat effected at Rishah two of the enemy's batteries, sank several feluccas, and damaged barracks."

The following report from the general staff of the Russian army of the Caucasus was given out:

"On the Sari Kamysh front, on the evening of Jan. 27, one of our columns, profiting by a snowstorm, crossed the crest of the mountains and seized, after a violent struggle, the village of Gureza, making prisoners there the chief of the Thirtieth Turkish division, with his staff, sixteen officers, seven sergeants, and 550 others, and capturing three cannon, more than 200 rifles, a convoy train, and a large quantity of war munitions and provisions."

PARLIAMENT OF TURKEY VOTES \$45,000,000 FOR WAR

Germany Sends \$15,000,000 to Aid the Ottoman Government—\$6,000,000 Now on Way.

[RECEIVED TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, via Rome, Jan. 31.—The Turkish parliament has sanctioned an extraordinary expenditure of about \$45,000,000 for war expenses.

\$5,000,000 for Turkey.

[RECEIVED TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

ATHENS, Jan. 31.—Two railway wagons containing gold to the value of \$5,000,000 have passed through Bulgaria bound for Constantinople. The total sum Germany has sent to Turkey is \$15,000,000.

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ROME MEETING PROTESTS HIGH PRICE OF FOOD

Takes Action Despite Royal Decree Wiping Out Duty on All Cereals.

ROME, Jan. 31.—Notwithstanding drastic measures taken by the government to alleviate the shortage in food supplies a large meeting was held at the Labor exchange today at which inflammatory speeches were made in protest against the high price of bread.

It was charged that the high price was due to the government being unable to prevent contraband wheat from going to the belligerents.

A resolution was passed at the meeting which declared that the agitation will continue till the people are able to win relief.

Suspend Duty on Cereals.

A royal decree issued today suspends entirely the duty on wheat and other cereals and flour. Previously the duty on wheat had been reduced from \$1.50 to 60 cents per quintal (220.4 pounds), on corn from 22 cents to 10 cents, on rye from 50 cents to 40 cents, on oats from 80 cents to 40 cents, on four from \$2.25 to \$1.00, and on cornmeal from 60 cents to 20 cents.

In addition the decree declares that if it is necessary wheat will be transported on the railways and steamships at half rates.

British Food Prices Soar.

LONDON, Jan. 30.—[Correspondence.]—While English newspapers continue to feature every article, authoritative or otherwise, tending to show that Germany is suffering from food shortage, the abrupt increase in food prices in Great Britain refuses longer to be concealed, and the labor element threatens to bring the matter before parliament.

Bread has increased 20 per cent in price to the consumer. The effect of this on the poor is drastic.

Austria Limits Flour Use.

VIENNA, Jan. 31.—The Vienna Zeitung publishes a ministerial decree ordering that henceforth bread may contain no more than 50 per cent of flour or rye meal. The remaining ingredients must consist of substitutes such as barley, maize, oats, rice or potatoes.

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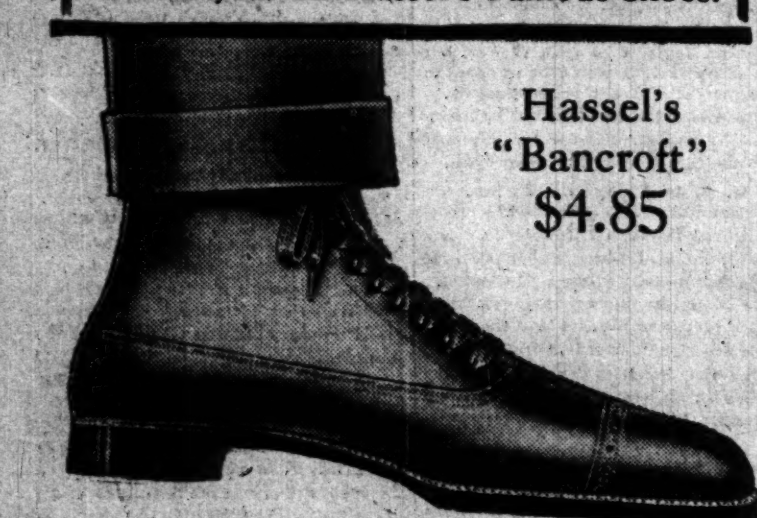
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REPORTS EFFORT MADE BY AUSTRIA TO OBTAIN PEACE

London Mail Asserts Von Burian Visited Berlin to Get Permission to Act.

(BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.)
LONDON, Feb. 1. (The Daily Mail.)—The following dispatch from its Copenhagen correspondent:

"From a most trustworthy and well-informed source in Berlin I have received the following information regarding the negotiations between Baron von Burian, the Austrian foreign minister, and the German statesmen during Baron von Burian's recent visit to Berlin."

Baron von Burian, whose sole object was to save what can be saved of the dual monarchy, represented the situation of Austria as precarious, and said that if the Russian advance on Budapest was not stopped the effect probably would be the downfall of Austria, and, more particularly, the collapse of Hungary, which later would entail a logical sequence the downfall of Germany.

Demands Repulse of Russians.
"Therefore, Baron von Burian urges, the Austrians must be repulsed at all costs and Germany must send large reinforcements to Hungary. In any case, he said, it was doubtful whether it would be possible for them to resist the Russian and Serbian and perhaps also the Rumanians; therefore it was necessary to examine the question of peace seriously."

"A definite defeat, he argued, would mean a debacle in Austria-Hungary and the partition of the empire. His advice was that the possibilities of a tolerable peace be most seriously considered."

"Further, he said, a hint that some of the allies' demands would be the partial disarmament of Europe, including Germany, because a peace that was nothing but a truce for a term of years could not be acceptable to the allies, however secretly they might wish, peace."

Some of Sacrifices Offered.
"The Austrian foreign minister advised Germany not to reject fundamentally the thought of peace on the grounds of the partial disarmament of Europe. If Germany were to do this, he said, it would be tantamount to a declaration of war on such terms, he said, he believed that other conditions imposed by the allies would be tolerable."

"Perhaps, he said, it would be necessary to give a part of Alsace to France and to give some of the Polish provinces to a new Poland, but that if Russia would relinquish a Russian province and Austria a part of Galicia to this new Poland, no real sacrifice for Germany would be entailed. Austria would then have the rest of Galicia to Russia, Rumania to Rumania, and, if necessary, part of Bosnia and Herzegovina to Serbia and Montenegro."

"The leading German statesmen admitted that Baron von Burian's intentions were excellent, and to some extent his plan was justified by the circumstances, but they declared that such a peace would be more ruinous to Germany than a total defeat."

Fear of British Navy.
"The dismemberment of Europe, they contended, would mean that only the British navy would be able all the time to rule the seas. Great Britain then would be able to tyrannize over the whole world and Germany would have lost all chance of safeguarding her commercial, industrial, and economic interests."

"The other terms suggested by Baron von Burian—namely, the restoration of Belgium and northern France and the recovery by Germany of her colonies, were they said, with the exception of the relinquishment of France of French Alsace and of the French provinces to Poland, no absolute hindrance to peace."

"For the reasons above stated, however, the German statesmen said that negotiations were hopeless and that it therefore was necessary to take any steps which would reveal a disposition for peace on the part of Germany and Austria-Hungary, as it would only weaken their case."

Small Chance of Victory.
"Baron von Burian thereupon admitted that there was no other way than to reject all ideas of peace and take all the chances and all the risks of continuing war in the hope that something undreamed of might occur to save them—perhaps a disagreement among the allies or some great victory."

"The Germans agreed that it was necessary to dispatch reinforcements to Hungary, and promised to transfer troops up to the number of a million to Hungary. By doing this, he said, they would be able to crush the allies and force peace."

"These are said to have been the main points in the negotiations between the German statesmen and Baron von Burian, but of course a number of special questions also were discussed and settled."

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able for all her statements, but also asked not to be held responsible for any violence started by those present. She spoke of the right of the workers to parade and show their misery to the wealthy.

Miss Addams Howled Down.
Miss Addams and Miss Breckenridge, who had sat throughout the exhortation, rose and asked to be recognized by the chair. Baron ignored them and put the question of parading to a vote. Amid the stamping of feet, scraping of chairs, and banging of the banner handles, there was a hubbub of "ayes."

"The marchers were not called for. Miss Addams tried to address the meeting. She was howled down by Baron and his standard bearers about the hall. "To the street—let us in line—parade," were the shouts that accompanied the movement of the leaders toward the exits.

"Stop—listen—wait a minute," Miss Addams called. "The marchers were not called for. Miss Addams tried to address the meeting. She was howled down by Baron and his standard bearers about the hall. "To the street—let us in line—parade," were the shouts that accompanied the movement of the leaders toward the exits.

Woman Urges Calmness.
"You must not lose your heads," urged Miss Breckenridge after Miss Addams had spoken. "You have nothing to gain by acting as a mob. You are not prepared to parade today. It is raining; there are few people out to see your demonstration, and your number is pitifully small."

Go to Sidewalk.
The mounted police came up. The plain clothes men and uniformed police swarmed around the marchers. The mass swayed. The banner carriers, floundering themselves hampered with signs, threw them over the heads of the leaders.

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CZAR OFFERED TO TALK PEACE AND AVOID WAR

Russia Bares Contents of Note Asking Austro-Serbian Row Be Arbitrated.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 31.—The Official Messenger publishes the following:

"The German government has published several telegrams which the Emperor of Russia exchanged with Emperor William before the war. Among these telegrams, nevertheless, is one which was not published, a dispatch from his Russian majesty dated July 29, 1914, containing a proposition to submit the Austro-Serbian conflict to The Hague tribunal."

"In view of this, the minister of foreign affairs is authorized to publish the telegram mentioned, of which this is the text:

"Thanks for your conciliatory and friendly telegram. Inasmuch as the official message presented today by your ambassador to my minister was conveyed in a very different tone, I beg you to explain this discrepancy. It would be right to give over the Austro-Serbian problem to The Hague conference. I trust in your wisdom and friendship."

TWO GERMANS EXECUTED BY FRENCH IN MOROCCO.

Berlin Claims That This Was Done in Spite of Assurance of Appeal Made to American Envoy.

BERLIN, Jan. 31.—The following official statement was made public today: "Although the French resident general in Morocco had officially assured the American chargé d'affaires at Tangier that, owing to American representations, the death penalty against the Germans, Karl Fricke and Harry Grunwald, who were accused of high treason, would not be carried out, but that a written appeal would be forwarded to the president of the French republic, their execution, according to newspaper reports, was carried out on Jan. 28."

Germany Try to Flee Jamaica.
KINGSTON, Jamaica, Jan. 30.—(Delayed.)—Some of the 100 German prisoners here have been giving trouble lately by attempting to escape. Some succeeded in getting away from the detention camps, but were recaptured.

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DEMOCRATS FEAR BUSINESS AS FOE OF SHIPPING BILL

Wilson Will Bend Efforts to Pass Act Before U. S. Chamber of Commerce Meets.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING
Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.—(Special.)—Threatened with an unequalled condemnation of President Wilson's ship purchase bill by the business men of the country expressed by the national chamber of commerce, which assembles here on Tuesday, the Democratic leaders will redouble their efforts to pass the measure in the senate before the commercial organization reaches its verdict.

With the roll call on the bill already ordered, the administration leaders will endeavor to hold the senate in continuous session for the purpose of wearing out the Republican opposition.

If the Republicans are caught napping for a single instant the roll will be called on the passage of the bill. Then if the administration supporters are present in sufficient number the bill will be passed.

Democrats Plan a Coup.
The Democrats hope to triumph in this test of the strength of muscular state-manship as did the Republicans in the passage of the Aldrich-Vreeland emergency currency bill. Senator La Follette, the leader of the filibuster on that occasion, inadvertently yielded the floor by sitting down when he had spoken eighteen hours.

Instantly the roll was called, Senator Aldrich, the first on the alphabetical list promptly responding "aye," after which the record vote could not be interrupted. Now Senator Ashurst, Democrat, is the first on the list and he will be on guard day and night ready to carry out the contemplated coup.

Delegates to the annual convention of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States began arriving in Washington tonight. Many of them came instructed by the commercial organizations they represent to vote against any endorsement of the ship purchase bill in its present form.

Report Condemns Bill.
A special committee of the organization worked tonight on a report on the whole question of the upbuilding of a merchant marine which will be presented to the convention Tuesday. The tentative draft of this report, which will be passed upon formally by the committee tomorrow, condemns in unqualified manner the plan embodied in the president's proposed legislation.

The report will be referred to the committee on resolutions and will be the subject of discussion by the convention on Thursday and possibly Friday.

President to Defend Measure.
Before the convention adopts its resolution the administration will endeavor to swing the delegates to support of the pending bill. President Wilson will defend his measure in an address to the convention Wednesday night. Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo will add his arguments and Secretary of State Bryan and Secretary of Commerce Redfield will endeavor to impress the delegates with the need and the wisdom of the proposed legislation.

Senator Burton of Ohio and other leaders of the opposition also will deliver addresses at the convention in which they will argue that the president's bill, if passed, would not reduce freight rates or appreciably increase ocean craft carrying capacity while it would be sure to bring the United States an international quarrel with every ship purchased.

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The speaker's deadlock at Springfield will be settled this week. A speaker will be elected by a peaceful compromise in a caucus of the seventy-eight Republicans and the two members elected as Progressives, or the election will be driven to the floor of the house.

Warns Not to Hide Facts on Communicable Disease.

U. S. Official Urges Full Publicity in Case of Actual or Impending Epidemic.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.—(Special.)—Declaring that nothing but harm can come from the suppression of facts concerning the presence in a community of communicable diseases, officials of the public health service are urging full publicity in the case of an actual or impending epidemic.

British Army Now Boasts 178 Peers; 8 of 'em Dukes.

Earl of Annesley, Viscount Hawarden, and Lord Congleton Killed—Six Wounded, Two Captured.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—(Correspondence.)—There are 178 peers serving in the British army, including eight dukes, ten marquesses, sixty-one earls, twenty-two viscounts, and seventy-seven barons.

The Earl of Annesley, Viscount Hawarden, and Lord Congleton have been killed in battle, and the Duke of Northampton, the Marquess of Northampton and Tweeddale, the Earl of Leven, and Lord Gerard, and Somers have been wounded, while the Earl of Ems and Blair have been taken prisoner by the Germans.

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If the Republicans can sit in together, facing the political situation confronting the amalgamated majority of eighty, and pick a candidate, the deadlock will end not later than on Thursday, it is believed by Republican leaders. The best bet, as figured on from the outside, is that McCall McCormick will be picked as the most available representative on whom all interests can agree.

Sentiment of State.
The sentiment of the state, taken by its leaders with Republicans of conspicuous prominence representing all elements of the party, is that the Republicans and Progressives sticking together must accept the responsibility of the elected majority.

The Republican caucus must choose a candidate, it is said, or the ultimate decision must be passed up no later than Thursday to the floor of the house.

Mayor Candidates' Stand.
This was followed by the unequivocal statements from Justice Harry Olson and William Hale Thompson, the two leading candidates for the mayoralty nomination in Chicago. The gravity of the situation from a purely Republican standpoint was disclosed by their declarations. This is what they said:

Chief Justice Olson.—The people are looking for the Republicans party to come back to bring a return of good times, prosperity, and hope, and they will be more disgusted than ever in this state if the Republicans in the house fritter away their opportunity. This is the hour of opportunity when the Republicans should forget personal interests and look only to the common good of the party and the state.

William Hale Thompson.—The interest of the state demands of each member of the house of representatives that he sacrifice personal interest and ambition. The elected members of the legislature should themselves choose a speaker without the aid or advice of political masters. Legislation should not enter into the election of a speaker. The speaker should be chosen because of his qualifications as a presiding officer and one who has the power vested in him as speaker to kill good bills and put on passed bad bills.

Such was the idea expressed by B. F. Harris of Champaign, one of the conspicuous Progressive state leaders in 1913, who was considered strongly for the nomination for governor.

There is to be a distinct effort made at Springfield when the house members reassemble on Wednesday for a reconvening of the joint conference committee of sixteen, representing the old alignment of regulars and insurgents. The committee will try for an agreement on a candidate who can command the full vote of the eighty Republicans and Progressives. It was believed at night that such conference can be arranged and that a candidate can be named by this committee.

Sherman Urges 'Rep.' Action.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.—(Special.)—Senator Sherman had this to say today about conditions in the Illinois legislature:

"The Republican party has a majority in the house in the Illinois state legislature. There is no sufficient reason why that majority of Republicans ought not to elect a speaker and organize the house. If no political party has a majority there could be no such organization unless by a combination of two or more parties. Such a bipartisan alliance becomes then the only way the legislative business of the house can be transacted. No such condition now exists."

Warns Against Deal.
"Republicans who, being members of a majority party, enter into a bipartisan alliance to elect a speaker, repudiate the party on whose ticket they were elected last November and place themselves where they are subject to criticism. No reason exists for any loyal Republican to go outside his party ranks in the house to elect a speaker. Those who do so will not only have such conduct to explain in 1916, but will introduce by such a course an element of demoralization into the Republican party at a time when all good party men are trying to beat our troubles of two years ago rather than aggravate them."

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But no such plan is in contemplation, and any protest or formal communication from any foreign government in advance of the actual purchase or announcement of the same by the Washington administration would be regarded as objectionable by the German allies.

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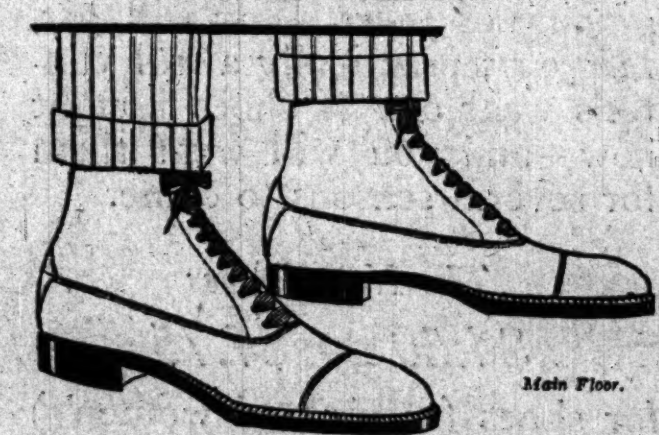
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Real Estate—Land and Buildings	\$26,907,763.80
Less: Total Mortgages Thereon	11,710,960.00
Net Valuation of Real Estate Owned	\$15,196,803.80
Mortgages Owned	\$1,659,352.40
Securities of Other Companies	220,000.00
Leasehold Property in New York City	20,000.00
Cash in Banks and Offices	327,947.75
Accounts and Bills Receivable and Interest Receivable, due and accrued	201,276.38
All other Assets, Accruals, etc.	60,516.62
Total	\$17,721,700.85

LIABILITIES

6% Coupon Bonds and Certificates—Fully Paid	\$5,362,394.36
6% Accumulative Bonds and Certificates—Installments paid in and interest accrued thereon	5,329,730.75
Accounts payable and Reserves for final payments on Building Contracts	\$1,961.58
Interest on Mortgages—Accrued but not due	155,455.19
Interest on fully paid Bonds, etc., Accrued but not due	194,764.77
All other Liabilities—Accruals, etc.	64,522.69
Total	\$14,160,845.42

Capital Stock—7% Preferred Stock	\$1,803,100.00
Common Stock	147,200.00
Surplus	1,510,555.41
Total	\$3,460,855.41
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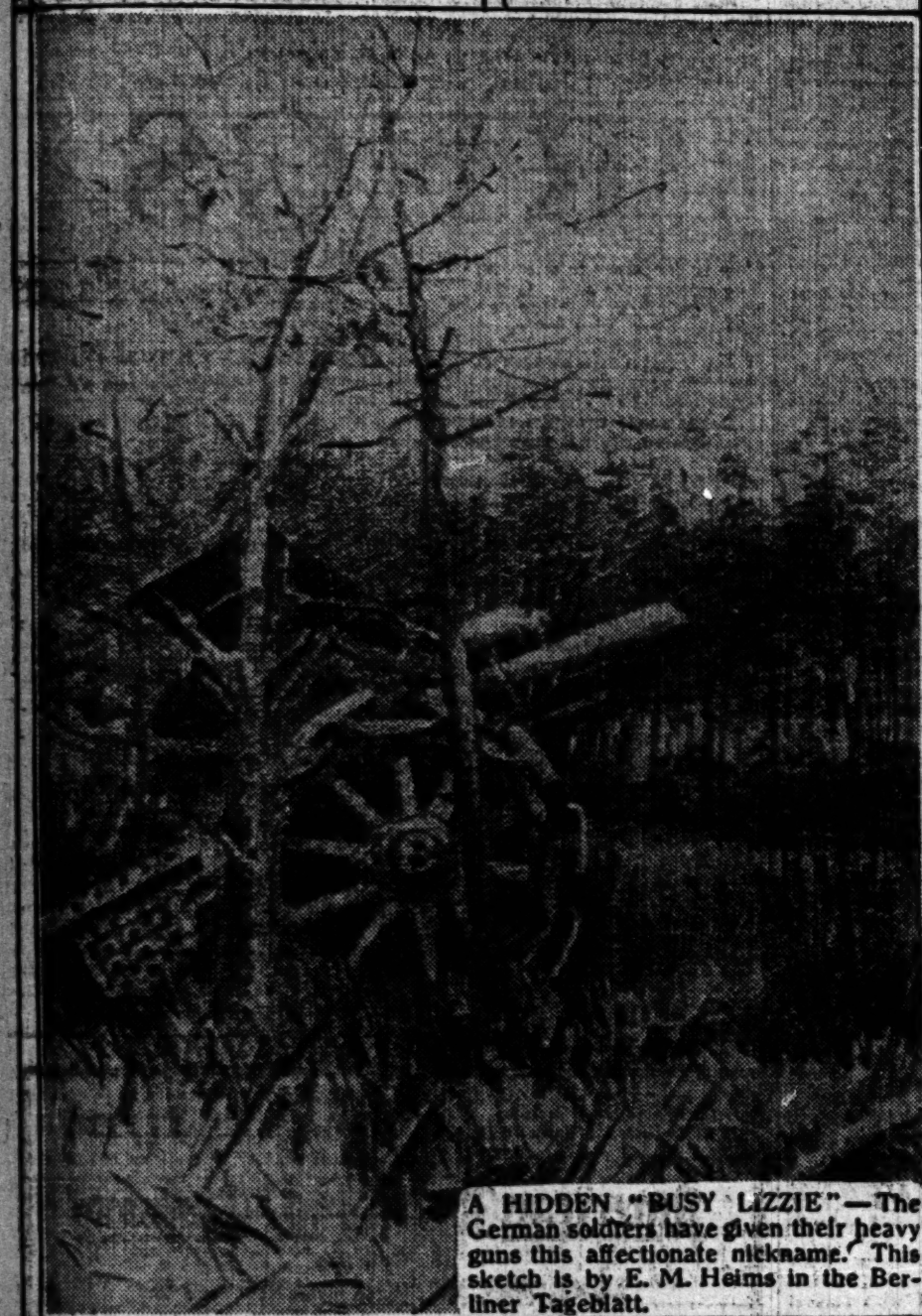
Latest Pictures from the German Armies in East and West.



NEW GERMAN WAR COIN—This new 3 mark piece shows the Kaiser on horseback amid a group of cheering figures. On the reverse is the German eagle.



RUSSIAN SOLDIERS SURRENDERING TO THE GERMANS IN POLAND—This picture from the Berliner Tageblatt was taken during the fighting west of Warsaw. The photographer advanced with the German column and was on hand when the Russians raised their hands and waved a white cloth in token of surrender.



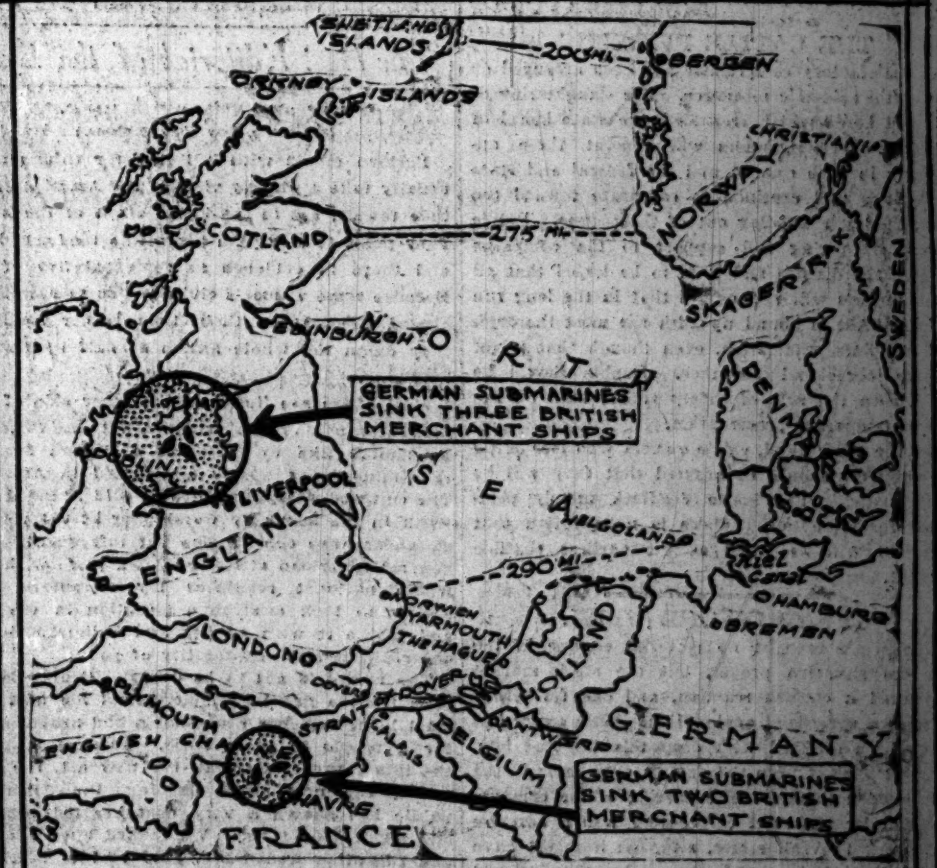
A HIDDEN "BUSY LIZZIE"—The German soldiers have given their heavy guns this affectionate nickname. This sketch is by E. M. Heims in the Berliner Tageblatt.



GERMAN COLUMN ADVANCING IN POLAND—This picture gives an excellent idea of the orderly and systematic manner in which the Kaiser's forces operate. Owing to the bad roads in Russia it has been necessary to follow the railroads, which are few and far between in Poland. The shifting of troops by both the Germans and Russians is much slower in the eastern war zone than in the west, owing to the lack of railroad facilities.



GERMANS IN THE ARGONNE FOREST—The picture shows the thoroughness with which the Kaiser's troops carry on their campaigns. They have cleared paths through the woods and cut out much of the undergrowth in addition to what the German photographer says, "cleaned out the enemy." The Argonne has been the scene of terrific fighting for months, the Germans under the Crown Prince attempting to advance to the south and complete the investment of the French stronghold at Verdun.



GERMANY'S SUBMARINES IN RAID NEAR THE ENGLISH COAST—Five British merchant vessels have been sunk within the last two days by German submarines which raided the English channel and the Irish sea. Three of these vessels—the Ben Cruichen, Linda Blanche and Kilcoan—were sunk in the Irish sea in the vicinity of the port of Liverpool. The were the victims of the German submarine U-21. No lives were lost as the crews and passengers were taken off and placed in small boats before the crafts were sunk. The vessels sunk in the English channel were the Tokomaru and the Icaria. They were sent to the bottom while near Havre. London dispatches say the British Admiralty has dispatched a large number of torpedo boat destroyers and other vessels to search the seas in an effort to catch and destroy the raiders. It is expected that more raids will follow those of the last two days and that Germany will attempt to carry out the threat of High Admiral von Tirpitz to wipe out all commerce to and from English ports to prevent the importation of munitions of war and other supplies.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1915.

REMEMBER THE JUDGES.

Many voters will properly enter the coming majority campaign with enthusiasm. As the campaign is to be between party nominees, this enthusiasm will engender considerable party feeling.

If the party feeling is limited to a majority campaign, no harm will result. But serious harm may come if the partisanship is carried to the all-important judicial election in June.

The terms of fourteen Circuit court judges expire at that time. It is a happy coincidence that the judges whose terms expire are, as a whole, men of excellent ability, long experience, and that they are evenly divided between the parties.

There has been some talk of organizing a non-partisan campaign to reflect all the sitting judges. This appears to be the wise course. At all events, partisanship should not be allowed to defeat any good judge.

THE MORAL ISSUE IN THE JAMMING PROCESS.

Opponents of the shipping bill pointedly told its senatorial supporters that their jamming and forcing process was inspired, not by the alleged emergency in the situation, but by the knowledge that the measure could not possibly pass the new congress were a special session called for that or any other purpose. This statement has not been denied; it cannot be denied or challenged. In the new congress the Democratic majority will be too small and precarious to attempt jamming and physical coercion by all-night or all-week sessions. Hence the bill must pass now or fail utterly.

But the jamming presents a very interesting issue in political morals and in the higher politics—an issue one would expect Mr. Wilson to recognize at once and meet squarely. He has had a good deal to say in his rhetorically admirable addresses and messages about the right and prerogative of the people to direct and instruct their servants, the lawmakers and the executive. He has declined to do certain things because they had not been thrashed out in campaigns or put into platforms, or because there had been no popular mandate issued concerning them. One question he has expressly and openly referred to the people; the allusion is to the literacy test.

Now, if the shipping bill can't pass the new congress, is it not because "the people have spoken" and elected men who will not vote for such a measure? What moral right has the existing congress, the retiring majority, to jam through a measure at the last moment, as it were? How can a president who is always appealing to the people—to their orders or their silence—justify the jamming process in the interest of a bill that the fresh representatives of the people are known to disapprove? Is naked and technical legality sufficient at one time and are morals and the higher political decency to be pressed into service only when convenient—to evade a ticklish matter?

Independent and fair minded men may well ask this question of the scholar, historian, and ethical teacher now in the White House. And they are entitled to a candid answer in Mr. Wilson's best style.

THE CATTLE EPIDEMIC.

A satisfactory compromise has been arranged on the cattle epidemic measures. The slaughtering of infected herds will be resumed, the state board of live stock commissioners will appoint three appraisers in each county, and the federal and state authorities will continue to cooperate toward the most thorough weeding out of the plague. Public opinion is giving full support to the campaign against the disease and it is to be hoped that all stock owners will understand that in the long run their interest is bound up with the most thorough and complete eradication, even though that might involve occasional mistakes. Doubts should be decided on the side of safety rather than on the side of temporary preservation.

On the other hand, cattle owners who lose cattle by slaughter should be assured that they will be compensated. The house deadlock merely postpones formal action. There is no question that provision will be voted at the earliest possible moment.

TREND OF THE WEEK.

The week brought no material change in the business situation proper, but the stock market registered a curious reaction, and one for which there is a superficial explanation. Wall street has never been credited with deep thinking and long views; sufficient unto the day or even hour is the phenomenon thereof. The passing of the common dividend by the steel corporation was a surprise and shock to Wall street, although it might have been expected precisely that action and rationally said that it belonged to the past, to the finished chapter, rather than to the present or future. Judge Gary lost no time in pointing out that business was steadily it slowly improving in the iron and steel industries, and that the earnings for the new quarter would undoubtedly show a gain over the last one. However, Wall street did not immediately yield to the still voice of reason, and did not even stop to reflect that the passing of the common dividend was preferable to that alternative, the general reduction of wages, which the steel corporation had considered and deliberately refrained from ordering.

Considerable foreign stock and bond selling was a feature of the week, but it appears to have been of the normal kind. Our growing favorable balance of trade, as has been explained before, renders such liquidation almost inevitable, for where can Europe get gold to settle her debts with at

this critical time? Of hysterical and reckless dumping of our securities there has been no sign. In industry and trade the improvement has continued. The foreign export figures for January are satisfactory; domestic business is growing in volume; the western railroads are reporting good business; the situation in the south is decidedly better than it was a few weeks ago, as cotton is moving to market and commanding a fairer price; the railroads are becoming more active buyers of rails and equipment; the labor market, while still far from normal, reports decreasing idleness here and there. Some mills and factories have returned to a high, if not full, capacity. Thousands of men have returned to work and more thousands may expect the welcome summons.

Finally, the entire business community is confidently looking forward, not backward. A convention of insurance men from all over the country, recently held in New York, was marked by real optimism, and salesmen in every line are reporting similar "psychological conditions." Slight recurrences and reactions hardly matter. The general trend is upward and onward.

THE SPEAKERSHIP TANGLE.

The close of the week at Springfield brought a noteworthy and encouraging change in the speakership tangle. The hardest and apparently the most hopeless knot loosened under the tension of rising public opinion and considerations of political discretion and party loyalty. The crossed cords of wet and dry gave way and were about to be united against the evil of bipartisan union.

Unfortunately at this moment a well intentioned but misguided factional division appeared, and it is this alone, apparently, that now stands in the way of a solution of the costly and dangerous Republican deadlock.

It is to be hoped that what may be accepted as a sincerely intended public will not be persisted in at the price of public danger. If untimely factionalism breaks the present movement for a Republican-Progressive organization of the house and necessitates a continuation of the deadlock, the outcome is almost sure to be realignments on the most undesirable grounds, a demoralization of party and legislative responsibility, and vicious conditions of legislation and government in the state.

Responsibility for such a result is heavier than any man or group of men can afford to risk, much less deliberately assume, and good intentions will not compensate the people of Illinois for misfortunes brought about by inexperienced zeal.

MINISTERS IN THE PEWS.

The Universalist Leader relates that certain ministers decided to substitute for their usual Monday morning meeting a religious service with sermon and that it was anticipated that perfection in the manner of service would result.

The congregation would be composed of ministers each of whom had experienced the small vexations caused by careless communicants who, however reverential of the spirit, might be heedless of the form, might arrive late, occupy the rear seats if not otherwise directed, and be in small measure disturbing.

Ministers conscious of these vexations would be scrupulous in their subscription to the smallest detail of deportment and perfect service would follow perfect respect for minutes.

"But alas, the congregation of ministers was fifteen minutes late, the number in attendance was distressingly small; throughout the whole service members were dropping in, and some dropping out! The front seats were vacant, at the back of the room grouped the group, and seats were quickly taken and held, while those coming later climbed over! There was much whispering and little evidence of the sacredness of the occasion. Hymn books were not in place until a thoughtful brother distributed them. And the collection was forgotten! Brethren, what are we to think?"

For one thing it was Monday, for the minister the day of relaxation, for the rest of us the day of tuning up again after the period of relaxation. For another thing it was a teacher at the desk from the fresh representatives of the people are known to disapprove? Is naked and technical legality sufficient at one time and are morals and the higher political decency to be pressed into service only when convenient—to evade a ticklish matter?

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The Best Editorial of the Day.

ART AND THE OPEN MIND.

(From the New York Tribune.)

Forlorn minds with a liking for things alien usually take a gloomy view of the American attitude toward art in the broad sense of the word. They point to a certain parrotlike tendency here and there in evidence as representative of all. Because some women's clubs and some Americans abroad have spent their time rather foolishly they damn the whole nation as half ignorant, half stupid.

Well, there are items on the other side of the account worth remembering. First and foremost we should like to set down a certain healthy open-mindedness widely distributed in America. The cultured exceptions, grown cold of blood and weak in the knees by worshipping at the feet of classicism, are conspicuous but infrequent. The general American attitude is of a piece with our whole national readiness for adventure, our ability to look a strange situation in the eye and tackle it with energy and enthusiasm—the cheerfulness and adaptability of youth.

The record is not to be denied. George Meredith, for the great example, found his first and most loyal audience here—not a bad achievement for a people in their teens. Coming down to the late years of ferment, the new art, the new music, the new stage dancing, the American public has shown a very open-hearted interest and much good sense. We looked upon Matisses and the other unabashed, glad to like what we could and chuckle at what we couldn't. We took our Debussy joyously, as so much beauty, whether we fathomed its method or not. The Irish Players seemed quite as good as they were different. And when Miss Isadora Duncan arrived with her newly created art, mingling things that we never had seen mingled before, and asking us to understand an utterly new idiom of the stars, we again came and saw and worshipped. The ovation which greeted her return the other day was a very good expression of what we have in mind. It is surely some consolation for our artistic shortcomings as a nation that we are not bound down by convention and can welcome a great artist, even though her art is not to be found in the books.

NEW SYNONYM FOR BORE.

The French are the most polite people in the world. They don't call a man a "bore." They say he is a "reacateur," and let it go at that.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A LINE-O-TYPE OR TWO.

Motto: How to the Line, and let who will be clever.

WE are upon the eve of a new era of enterprise and prosperity.—Pena. Wilson.
"Hope springs eternal in the human breast: Man never is, but always to be blest."
—Pena.

Or, prosperity is the wisp of hay which the jackass, having brayed loudly for the Democratic party, sees always before him, a few inches beyond his nose.

TRY HARD-KIST.

Sir: I am desperate. Your column doesn't please me. What am I to do? It is too cold to jump in the lake, and they have spread nets in the Masonic temple.

WE read in the Milwaukee Free Press that the Islesworth "Mona Lisa" is attributed to Leonard D. Vincina, and the information elicited from us a considerable cascade.

THE SO-CALLED SUNNY SOUTH.

Sir: Lakeland, Fla., is scavenged by a thousand buzzards. In the cold mornings they alight on the chimney tops to warm their feet, while northern tourists are warming theirs at the fireplaces below. Everybody happy. LAKELAND.

"THE oxygen that the lungs of modern business take in is the oxygen of public confidence."—Mr. Wilson.

Take one part oxygen and two parts hydrogen, and you are all ready to issue stock.

RECALLING THE LADY WHO WENT AND HURT HER SOMEWHAT.

(From the Bridgeport, Ill., Letter.)
A lady who went to the South with the old sludge riding last Sunday met with an accident at a mill south of here when the horse ran away, throwing her over and breaking a leg, and cutting and bruising her otherwise.

"SELDOM," says the Arabian poet, "hast thou seen a person honored with a surname but thou wilt find, if thou search, that his character is expressed by it." And not infrequently his occupation. Thus, Will Delany, a lawyer of Cleveland, Miss., and Roy Blunt, a barber of Muscatine, Iowa, and Festus Smith, of Shoshone, Ind., should be a fisherman, and Handy Crump, manager of the Hotel Favorite in Piqua, O., should be an excellent hand at crumpets.

ABAS THE BUSY.

Why indulge our indignation if friend Busby will not serve us? What's the good of getting nervous? Why not change your occupation? Get a job near your home station and your tears will soon be dried then, for you will not have to visit the city with the other whoops. Or you might try the sensation of a home on State, near Jackson, where you won't depend on traction; which is cause for jubilation! Then we might bring aggravation to the peaky traction buses with some pretty motor-buses, to be used upon occasion. Have I earned your approbation? Follow my advice and thus be able to quit "riding" Busby. Let a bus be your salvation!
C. S. A.

"THE office of the president," says Mr. Wilson, "seems to be the clearing house for original ideas." Apparently, like us, he throws 'em on the floor, so that his own ideas may seem more scintillating.

ANOTHER "OLIVE" IN TROUBLE.

(From the Tallahassee, Fla., Record.)
There has been some misunderstanding and, it appears, some hard feelings in the manner in which we have conducted the church column, especially the petition given the church in the column. We regret this very much as we did not wish to hurt the church. We regret the petition will be rotated each week, giving first one church the top of the column and then the other. We hope this will be satisfactory to all parties concerned.

THE junior Rockefeller's attitude toward labor conditions is like labor's attitude toward efficiency. He doesn't know about certain things because he doesn't want to know.

Our Village.

—Almost ground hog day.
—The Jan. thaw was much appreciated.
—Col Renaud laid four grape fruit on 70 Sorbie's desk this week. Call again, Col.
—Frank Miller is off for Arizona for the rest of the winter. That man has a hard time of it.
—Will Carleton had a dinner for Mrs. Strindberg Friday eve, a grand time being had.
—Frexy Judson and Mrs. J. have been visiting in N. Y. for a few days.
—Lady Gregory is in our Village from Ireland for a few days, renewing acquaintance with her h. of f.
—Roy Murphy is looking for a nice affectionate cat to play with his birds, so he won't have to buy so much birdseed.
—Rud. Reuter says that Arthur Sullivan wasn't English, but a German named Arthur Seigmann, and that he was living in Milwaukee when he wrote "Pinafore" was now to us.
—Wright Neumann had a theatrical to his Knobel concert yet, and we haven't heard so much applause at a music affair for a con's age. Col. Gabriowitz put up a fine line of Brahms playing, and he had a corking plan to play on.

—One of our subscribers wants to know if we split 10-10 with the people whose concerns we advertise. Sure, and that reminds us that Harold Henry and Nite Fokoff are to play next Thursday eve, not together, but in two different places. Jennie Johnson is going to sing tomorrow night, too, and Horatio Parker holds forth in Mandel hall the same time. So we ought to get quite a rake-off this wk.

THE Somerset, Ky., Leader prints a picture of a bull, and announces, "The name of this bull is Doris," which you will agree is a pretty name for a bull.

The Second Post.

(Received by a Chicago mail house.)
We are returning under separate cover copy of Meditation from "Thafs," and our order was for "Meditation from Tioa," by Massenet.

Knowing this is a slight mistake, we hope to receive right copy with order enclosed.

"I C. Sells Bonds to Better Road."

—W. G. K. Whist!
THE normal-school of golf is located at Grand Beach, Mich. The ad reads: "Private tuition taught."

PROBABLY HORSE RADISH WAS SORCERED.

Sir: The Hotel Laak, Plymouth, Wis., has "entries" on menu. I looked for Horse Radish, but couldn't place a bet.
J. F. B.

WE may be wrong, as usual, but our guess is that Roger Dunne Woodward of Spokane, Wash., is a Democrat.

EFFICIENCY is illustrated by most German pianists. They hit all the notes.

THAT CHORD AGAIN!

(From the Milwaukee.)
I want musicians, one who can play baritone and one who can play elactico; would like one or both to double as violinists; they may write who are barbers and musicians. Leader: Barbersville had Mrs. Rood. Barbersville, Ky.

IF you leave it to the telephone directory, says P. C. M., the last word in names is Zyzzyki.

BUT according to the C. D., the ultimate is Zyzzyki.

SUBMARINE attacks on merchant vessels seem to us "low-down" warfare.

BUT perhaps the "higher necessity" justifies it.

R. L. T.

How to Keep Well.

By Dr. W. A. Evans.

Questions pertinent to hygiene, sanitation, and prevention of disease, if matters of general interest, will be answered in this column. Where space will not permit or the subject is not suitable, letters will be personally answered, subject to proper limitations and where a stamped, addressed envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases. Requests for such service cannot be answered.

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TELLS OF HEALTH VICTORIES.

THE public health movement has been criticized adversely because of its frequent reference to disease. There is no way to wholly avoid this criticism. Statistics can only deal with subjects on which we have data. The dead have died; that is a fact from which there is no escape. A situation is created. The question is whether we shall try to improve it. To do this requires analysis. To get results, the facts disclosed by the analysis must be used.

However, those who prefer to read about the well, the methods of keeping well, and the conquest of ill health, can find some literature. My experience is that the most successful method of keeping well is to eat a simple diet, to sleep well, to exercise, to avoid stress, and to keep the mind in a state of peace. This is the only way to keep the body in a state of health.

There is now a journal of open air school devoted to the pursuit of fresh air. This is the Journal of the Outdoor Life, preaching the gospel of exercise in the open air. Many of the stories in the last issue are reminiscences of the experiences of well people. Some of them tell of nature study and the joy of life in the open for those whose only object is the pleasure of living. A very large portion of them are stories of consumptive, but these are not adverse criticism, since there is in them a note of victory. They always radiate good cheer.

Those people who are striving earnestly and sincerely to improve their state of health by keeping their minds on health realize the advantage of discovering any irregularity in the working of the human machine before that irregularity has developed into a disorder. They want to know when the cogs are binding before the friction has worn the teeth down. Something of a machine for rendering this service is told in an article in the January number of the Journal of Outdoor Life.

HAVE VOCAL CORDS EXAMINED?
P. L. V. writes: After singing steadily for twenty minutes my throat seems to tighten and my voice becomes hoarse and rough.

You should have your vocal cords examined. You probably have a chronic inflammation of larynx and especially of the region of the cords. You may have nodes. Break any bad habit time is required. It must be done by mental training.

REPLY TO ANXIOUS.
You should have this child examined by a good physician. My guess is that she has indigestion or colic. However, this is just a guess. No opinion worth anything could be formed with the few facts contained in your letter. Write me again with more facts if she needs attention.

REPLY TO MRS. E. S. F.
Have your teeth and throat put in line. Most of the symptoms are due to clean your mouth, and you will tire less readily.

LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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THERE are few houses of the old French aristocracy that have not been placed in mourning by the present war. One that has is that of Du Dorfort de Civras, which has just lost its chief, Guy, Duc de Lorge, who has fallen fighting against the Germans as a 25 year old lieutenant of the Thirty-second dragoon regiment. Unmarried, he is succeeded in the dukedom by his younger brother, Robert, heretofore known as the Comte de Du Dorfort, who is likewise serving at the front as a private in another dragoon regiment.

Their father, who was one of the principal gentlemen in waiting to the Duke of Orleans, chief of the royal household of France, met his death in London three years ago while staying with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur James in Grafton street, just off Piccadilly, by falling down the elevator shaft and breaking his neck. He was one of the leading members of the Jockey club in Paris, and when not in attendance on the Duke of Orleans divided his time between his old mansion in the Rue St. Dominique, in the Faubourg St. Germain, and the chateau of Fontenoy, in the Loire.

The dukedom of Lorge is one of those which grew out of the revolution, and the first Duke of Lorge was second in command to his uncle, the famous Marshal Turenne, in most of his campaigns, and won the baton of field marshal of France for his brilliant and gallant services, notably the battle of Fribourg, in 1692, when he made prisoner the ruler of Wurtemberg.

Another ancestor was that Seigneur de Lorge who was captain of the guard of King Francis I. at the field of the cloth of gold, and whose son, known as the Count de Montgomerie, by reason of his purchase of an estate of that name, eventually killed Henry II. of France, first husband of Mary Queen of Scots, in a state tournament. It was a Seigneur de Lorge, too, who, at the bidding of the fair Cuguignade, sprang into the fen of the king's face, to fetch her glove, which she had thrown down there as a test of his courage. According to the family tradition, he was the first to be applauded his act.

"No love," said he, "but vanity. Set love a task like that!"

The new duke's father, who was frequently chosen by the Duke of Orleans to represent him at various state functions at foreign courts, was the hero of a very amusing adventure a number of years ago in London; an adventure, indeed, which caused him for a long time to entertain a grudge against the English. It was on the occasion of the first of his subsequently periodical trips across the channel from France to visit the Duke of Orleans at York House, Twickenham. One evening after dinner in London he found himself being escorted by a French valet, and not knowing where to go, he remembered having heard or read the name of Cremorne as that of a garden which had some analogy to the famous garden of the second empire and the Moulin Rouge of later day Paris. Accordingly, he hailed a four wheeled cab which was passing, and instructed the driver to take him to Cremorne.

Now Cremorne was already a thing of

CARE OF BABY.

H. R. writes: "Our little girl is 8 months old, weighs sixteen pounds; eight pounds at birth. She has no teeth as yet. 1. Is her weight normal? 2. When should we expect her teeth to show? 3. My wife is apprehensive of the baby's second summer. Is there any ground for her fears? We also feed the baby a couple of graham crackers a day. Would a little white bread or chicken bones hurt her?"

REPLY.
1. Yes.
2. Right away.

3. The second summer is a hazardous period, but by care, especially with her food, your baby should go through the summer without trouble. In the families of careful people the baby's stomach rate is low. Your baby can have meat, fish, chicken, and eggs, and even bread, while giving breast.

NO BETTER THAN LAND.
Mrs. H. C. writes: "Have been reading with much interest your articles and am paying particular attention to the articles of food which I purchase. My grocer recommended to me a cooking fat called 'Lard' and I am using it. He claims that it is purer than ordinary lard, and being a vegetable product, foodstuffs and pastry in which it is used are more nutritious and digestible than that in which lard is used. I am mailing you a small sample of this product, and would thank you if you will publish your opinion as to the merits of the product."

REPLY.
You have been misinformed. A good cottonseed oil is as good as a good lard, but not better.

DEMENTIA PRECOX.
E. H. S. L. writes: "Kindly define the meaning of dementia precox. Is the disease of a progressive form. Is there any cure possible? Is there any book where I could find detailed information as to the proper care and treatment of the disease?"

REPLY.
1. Dementia precox is a form of insanity which occurs in early life. It is characterized by delirium, hallucinations, mental deficiency and in some instances complete paralysis.

2. In some cases, no.

3. Some cases can be cured.

4. Most of the newer books on mental diseases have chapters on dementia precox.

REPLY TO G. R. M.
Giant lives result from eating poisonous food. The food may be wholesome to others, but poisonous to the person concerned. That is the peculiarity of idiosyncrasy. There are a number of exciting factors and salivary water is as good as any. Free purgation is followed by relief.

To prevent the condition careful investigation is required. Sometimes the trouble is that the person is poisoned by such wholesome food as canned salmon or sardines. Having found his bite, he should avoid.

Some of the trouble results from amine manufactured in the person's intestine. Routine of New Orleans says that the amine acid histidine, abundant in good milk, eggs, cheese, and meat in the digestive tract of some people is converted into amine capable of causing lives.

In some the system is overacid, and benefit is had from the use of Fischer's solution.

THE CALL TO ALMS.

(From the London Sketch.)

She: "But, my dear George, you can't possibly mean that you start the front on Tuesday? Why on earth didn't you explain to them that it's the opening day of the bazaar?"

William and I chairs have got all solid quarters.

The Legal Friend of the People.

Letters for this department must be signed with names and addresses of the writers.

EMPLOYER MUST KEEP TIMEBOOK.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—[To the Legal Friend of the People.]—Some time ago a man from the state factory inspector's office called upon me and asked me to sign a must be supplied with a record of the number of hours per day that each woman in the place worked. There are only two girls in the office, whose hours are from 8 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. He was quite insolent and cautioned us to keep a daily report in the future or we would be heavily fined. As we seem to be one of the few who received these notices, as far as I am concerned, I should be glad to hear from you on the subject.

M. M. The law of Illinois provides that no woman shall be employed in any mercantile or mechanical establishment, or factory or laundry, or hotel or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment, or office thereof, or in any place of amusement, or by any person, firm, or corporation engaged in the transportation of passengers or public utility business or by any common carrier or by any public institution, incorporated or unincorporated, in this state, more than ten hours in any one day.

The law further provides that every employer in this state shall keep a timebook or record showing for each day that his establishment is open the hours during which each and every woman in his employ to whom this act applies is employed. Such timebook or record shall be open at all reasonable hours to the inspection of the officials of the factory inspection department, and in view of this fact such officials have the right to insist that the record be kept and to institute prosecution for failure to keep such record.

LANDLORD APPEARS LIABLE.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—[To the Legal Friend of the People.]—Is a landlord liable for damages in the case of one of his tenants falling on the icy steps or porch of his building?

The landlord is responsible for conditions on steps under his control. For this reason it is probable that he is liable for damages resulting from personal injury received by reason of ice on these steps.

TRIBUTE LAW DEPARTMENT.

ENTITLED TO SALARY.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—[To the Legal Friend of the People.]—A friend of mine who was employed by a certain firm under verbal agreement was discharged last Wednesday with no admonition prior to the time he was requested to sever his connections with the firm. Is employer obliged by law to pay this party full time, namely, one week, or simply the time which he rendered his services? J. M.

An employer has the right to discharge an employ at the end of the term of employment and where employment is by the week, or monthly, or quarterly, or yearly, the employer is entitled to the full week's salary where he is discharged during the week through no fault of his own.

TRIBUTE LAW DEPARTMENT.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

THAT NONJUDICIAL OUTBURST.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—With reference to the communication of an anonymous A. A. R. which appeared in this column on

Interior Decorations
and Furnishings

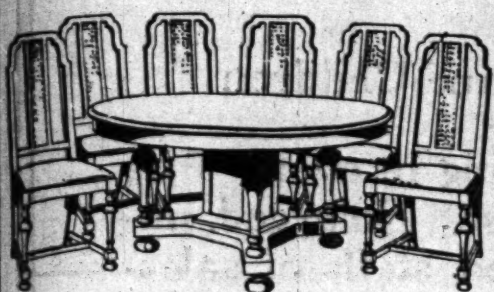
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There Begins This Morning—on the Eighth and Ninth Floors

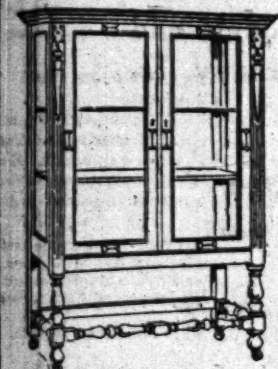
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\$225,000 Worth—Some Below Cost to Make



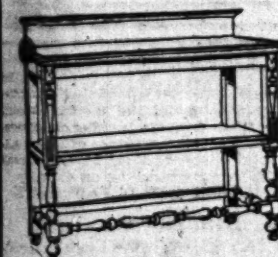
Set \$60.00

William and Mary Dining Table and six chairs for \$60.00. Table 54 inch top. Chairs have cane back and leather seats, all solid quartered oak in Jacobean finish.



\$29.00

Berkey & Gay China Cabinet, Flanders design, 61 inches high, 41 inches wide. Jacobean or old oak finish, \$29.00.

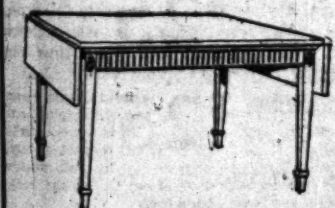


\$16.50

Berkey & Gay, Serving Table, Flanders style, 42 inches wide, 16.50.



Dining Table to match above, \$39.00. Sideboard, \$60.00.



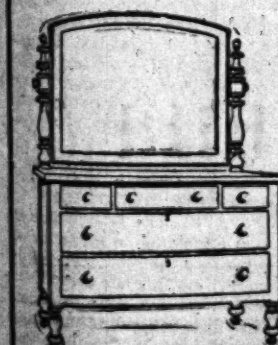
\$37.50

Solid Mahogany Adam drop leaf breakfast table, 44x60 in.; with leaves down, 44 in. square, at \$37.50.



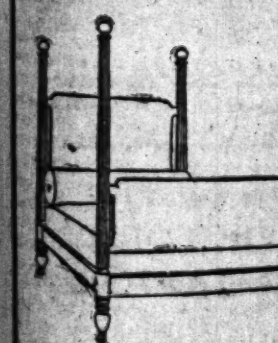
Set \$42.50

48 inch fumed oak Extension Table and six high back Chairs (with leather seats), at \$42.50.



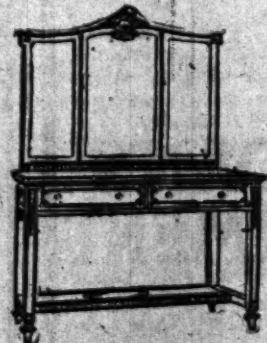
\$47.50

Mahogany Dresser, priced very low, at \$47.50.



\$29.00

Solid mahogany Cowan Four Post Beds, in twin size only, priced for clearance, \$29.00.



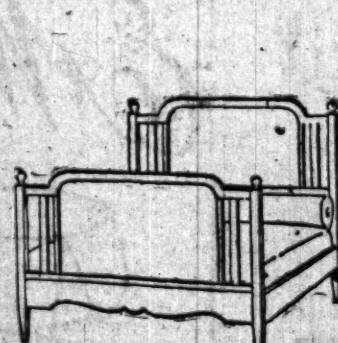
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Berkey & Gay Toilet Table in solid mahogany or antique ivory enamel to match Chest, \$49.



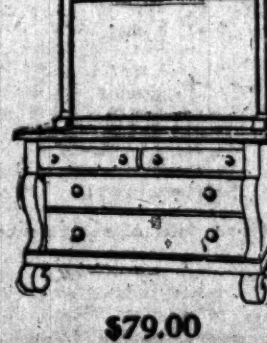
\$49.00

Chest of Drawers in solid mahogany or antique ivory enamel, at \$49.00.



\$29.00

Berkey & Gay solid mahogany Bed, full or twin size, \$29.00 each.



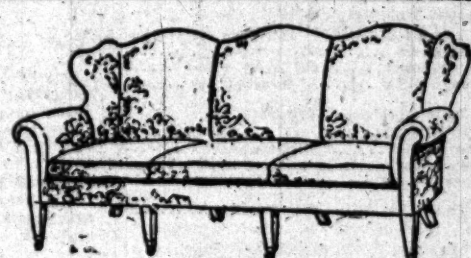
\$79.00

Berkey & Gay Colonial Dresser, in beautifully figured crotch mahogany, size 54 in., \$79.00. Other pieces in suite priced proportionately low.



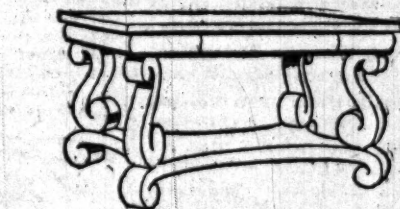
\$25.00

Berkey & Gay solid mahogany Chest of Drawers, 38 inches wide.



\$55.00

Overstuffed Sofa, 7 feet long, made with cushion seat; upholstered in tapestry, \$55.00.



\$30.00

Solid Mahogany Library Table, scroll post, colonial style, in massive proportions, of fine construction and finish. Size 30 inches by 50 inches; contains one drawer, \$30.00.



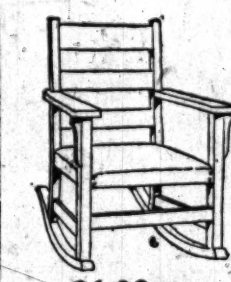
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Overstuffed Chair with cushion seat, covered with tapestry to match sofa, \$24.00. Rocker to match, \$25.00.



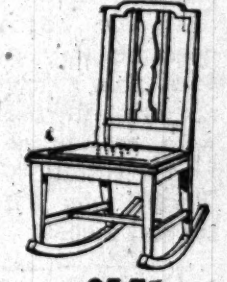
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Solid Mahogany "Puritan" Rocker, covered with good quality tapestry, with cushion seat, \$16.50.



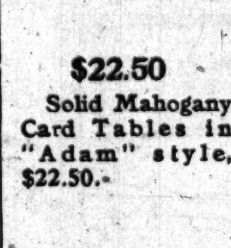
\$6.00

This fumed oak Rocker, with goat skin upholstered seat, will give lasting satisfaction, at \$6.00.



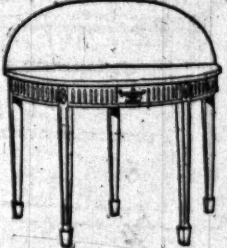
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Berkey & Gay solid mahogany cane seat bedroom Rocker, at \$5.75. Chair to match, \$5.75.



\$22.50

Solid Mahogany Card Tables in "Adam" style, \$22.50.

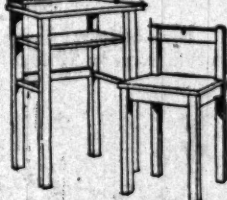


\$8.75



\$11.75

Solid mahogany and cane Wing Rocker. A limited quantity at almost former wholesale price, \$11.75.



\$8.75

Telephone Stand and Seat, of solid mahogany, of unusual construction and finish, at this price, \$8.75.

News of other events from the Home Furnishing Sections will be found elsewhere in this paper.

Oriental Rugs—About 6.6x9.0 Feet

Average Price, \$52.00

This is little more than the cost of a good Domestic Rug.

The Rugs are all Khivas of good substantial weight, in soft mahogany and dull red tones. Particularly admirable for use in Sun Parlors, Dens, Reception Halls and Libraries. Unexcelled as office Rugs.

About 100 Afghan Rugs averaging 4.0x6.0 feet in size; specially priced from \$18.00 to \$30.00.

Third Floor.

Imported Wilton Rugs—Size 9x12 Feet,

February Sale Price, \$37.50.

1915 will witness many good values in our Domestic Rug Section, but probably none so epoch-making as our February Sale of Imported Wilton Rugs at \$37.50. You must see these to be convinced that such values are possible.

2/ in. x 54 in. \$3.50

Third Floor.

Sale of Inlaid Linoleums, 90c Yard

This is "A" quality—one of the heaviest Linoleums made. There are eight patterns to select from.

We call attention to the present extensive display of Linoleums. It will give you a better idea of the wide variety and beauty of our modern productions.

Third Floor.

Sale of Stair Carpets, 75c and 85c

These Carpets are of good weight and of dependable quality. The patterns are refined in character, with small repeat designs in soft neutral colorings so practicable for use on stairs or as runners in halls.

Third Floor.

During February we will continue the Reduction Sale of Wall Papers—a Roll—10c, 15c, 25c.

Fifth Floor.

Special Reduction During February on All Orders for Re-Upholstering Furniture



All fabrics appropriate for this purpose may be obtained at reduced prices.

Place orders in the Upholstery Section, Fifth Floor.

Colonial Cretonne Scalloped Bed Sets \$4.50

Embracing suitable patterns from Cretonnes made in our own factories.

Fifth Floor.

February Will Witness Our Greatest Sale of Brass Beds, Box Springs, Mattresses, and Pillows

Because the Values Are Better Than Ever.

1. Brass Beds—ten special designs; virtually made under our supervision. The designs are exclusive with us.

Minor points of construction and finish not ordinarily considered as of much importance in the making of Metal Beds have been carefully looked after in all the Beds to be offered in this Sale.

The price range is such as to meet the requirement of any customer, namely, \$13.75, \$18.75, \$21.00, \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50, \$30, \$33, \$35, \$37.50.

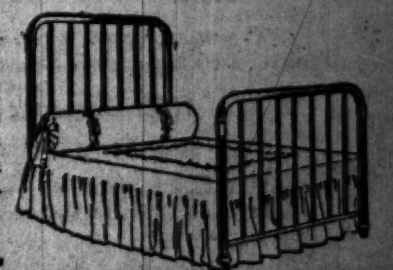
2. Box Springs—six grades are included at \$12.50, \$14.50, \$17.50, \$20, \$22.50 and \$25.00. Only skilled workmen are employed in the manufacture of our Springs. Only materials are used which have been thoroughly tested and proved to be worth while. A number of exclusive features are used in their construction which add to their durability and comfort.

Feather Pillows in the popular size, 22x28 inches, at \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$6.00 a pair.

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4. Elastic Felt Mattresses, 5 grades, have been specially manufactured for this Sale. From the lowest to the highest price, every pound of felt used is absolutely clean and sanitary. Price range: \$6.75, \$8.75, \$10, \$12.50 and \$14.85. A variety of attractive coverings is shown on these Mattresses.



Ninth Floor.

OLSON TO SPUR FUSION WORKERS IN HIS INTERESTS

Judge, Tired of Delay in Organization, Will Take Hand Himself Today.

Judge Harry Olson, who says he always has to hustle for himself if he got anything, will keep up the same policy today by trying to do what the fusion committee on arrangements has failed so far to do—bring out the little differences which have prevented the fusion from coming to an understanding with the management of the judge's majority campaign.

Republicans and Progressives in equal number will be invited by the judge to meet with him this afternoon that he may learn at first hand what is delaying the organization of the fusion city campaign. As the man they have asked to lead them he expects these representatives of the two parties will listen to his suggestions.

Olson may ask that one of the two Republican candidates for alderman in the Third, Fifteenth, and Twenty-fifth wards withdraw in favor of a Progressive, and on the other hand he may make a personal appeal to A. A. McCormick, Progressive, whom he counts as a friend, to withdraw as a candidate for alderman in the Sixth ward, that there may be a fusion ticket.

Judge Is Not Uneasy.

While organization has been held up within three weeks of the primary, Judge Olson is not uneasy. The strong Republican ward clubs are said to be in the ward clubs active committees are lining up for the primary battle, and in the other ward active committees are lining up for the primary battle, and in the other ward active committees are lining up for the primary battle.

Judge Olson will open his speaking campaign Thursday night at the Masonic temple in Woodlawn, in the Seventh ward. This is one of the strongest Republican and Progressive wards in the city. From then on to primary day the judge expects to be busy every night.

Condemns Public Employees' Activity William Hale Thompson, Republican candidate for mayor, gave out an interview last night in which he deprecated the activity of city, county, and municipal court employees in the mayoralty campaign. He called attention to years of agitation for civil service, direct primaries, and taking the police and judges out of politics, and asserted that all that seems to have been forgotten. He charged advocates of reform are working for selfish purposes, and continued: "I doubt if the best interests of our city and county can be best preserved and promoted when city employees, instead of attending to the city's business, are spending their time working for the reelection of a mayor; when the employees of the county clerk's office, instead of attending to the county's business, are spending their time working in the interest of their candidate for mayor; when the employees of the municipal court, the chief justice of the municipal court, and some of the associate judges of the municipal court are spending their time to maintain their candidate for mayor, instead of attending to the public business of the municipal court. I ask the citizens to pause and reflect."

Men! Women! One Day Only! Register Tomorrow!

Tomorrow is registration day. If you want to vote in the primaries on Feb. 23 or at the municipal election on April 6 you must be properly registered in the precinct in which you now reside.

If you were registered properly for the November election, and you haven't moved since, you are O. K.

If you did not register in October, or if you have moved since you registered in October, if you have reached the voting age since October, or if you have become naturalized since October, you must register tomorrow to be permitted to vote.

Tomorrow is the only day permitted for you to qualify for the primaries.

Women have the same rights and privileges as have men for this election.

Political Meetings Scheduled Tonight.

CARTER H. HARRISON.

11th ward—Polish Women's Harrison club, Taber and Batain hall, Nineteenth street and Hoyne avenue; Harrison Polish Women's club, St. Adalbert church hall, Seventeenth and Paulina streets.

21st ward—Women's Harrison club, 2843 Fulton street.

15th ward—Forty-second Precinct Women's Harrison club, residence of Mrs. C. Frank Timberlake, 2001 West Harrison street.

21st ward—Women's Harrison club, Windsor hall, North Clark and Division streets.

10th ward—Polish Women's Harrison club, Kosciuszko hall, Forty-eighth and Wood streets.

30th ward—Harrison Women's club, McNeal hall, Forty-seventh and Halsted streets.

1st ward—Harrison Baseball Association club, Briggs base assembly hall.

30th ward—418 North Racine avenue.

ROBERT M. SWEETZER.

10th ward—Sweetzer club, Bohemian-American hall, Eighteenth street and Blue Island avenue; Women's regular Democratic organization, 1440 Eighteenth street.

30th ward—Gomer hall, Forty-second and Wallace streets; Women's meeting, 1940 West Thirty-fifth street.

30th ward—Gomer hall, Garfield boulevard and elevated railroad.

22nd ward—Larabee street and Clybourn avenue.

25th ward—Women's meeting, 4712 North Kedzie avenue.

7th ward—Women's meeting, 6126 Cottage Grove avenue.

20th ward—Women's meeting, 5608 Broadway, 2:30 p. m.

30th ward—Women's meeting, Sweetzer Booster club, Walsh's hall, Forty-sixth and Halsted streets.

WILLIAM HALE THOMPSON.

1st ward—Women, red room of Hotel Le Salle, 2:30 p. m.

31st ward—Women, Salvation Army hall, Fifty-ninth street, between May street and Racine avenue.

30th ward—Women, St. Joseph's hall, Twenty-fifth and Coles avenue.

30th ward—Women, Clark street and Lunt avenue, 8 p. m.

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IF STEEDMAN WINS, HE SAYS.

Socialist Candidate for Mayor Tells Open Forum How to Cure Ills of Chicago.

Chicago will have municipally owned telephones, with calls 1 cent each, municipal stores and icehouses, clean streets, sanitary jails, and less crime if Seymour Steedman, Socialist candidate for mayor, is elected, he told the Open Forum in Grace Episcopal church last night.

Mr. Steedman advocated putting the unemployed at work cleaning streets, and asserted that under him the city will not be under martial law controlled by the police. He devoted much of his address to the public utility corporations and their troubles.

SWEETZER'S KIN PROMISE A NEW CHAIR FOR "BOB"

Candidate's Cousins, Aunts, and Uncles Hold Meeting to Boost Their Relative.

Relatives of Robert M. Sweetzer have promised him a new chair for his use in the executive offices of the city hall if he is elected mayor. Lambert Hayes made that bargain for 260 other Sweetzer cousins and aunts and uncles who met in the crystal room of the Hotel Sherman yesterday afternoon. The meeting was of the Sweetzer kindred club, and only relatives of the candidate were in attendance.

"Chicago needs the best mayor it can get, and the best is Bob," is the motto of the club.

One of City's Big Families.

"We are one of the big families in Chicago," Dr. P. B. Hayes, the president, said, "and we are going to have some influence in this primary. The club was organized to help Bob when he ran for county clerk the first time. He did not need our help for his second campaign. His record was good enough to reflect him by the greatest vote any candidate got."

Mrs. Sweetzer was among those who attended the meeting, and the cousins and aunts and uncles gave her a cheer when she came in. Miss Edna M. Sweetzer, Frank Kaiser, and Mrs. James Reese are vice presidents of the club; James R. Murphy, treasurer, and James E. Higgins, secretary. The directors are A. J. Sweetzer, Frank Kaiser, Dr. T. Lamplin, Dr. D. F. Hayes, Mrs. James Reese, Pat-

rick McNerny, Joseph Clancy, D. E. Higgins, Charles Smoler, and L. A. La Font.

Mayor Makes Two Speeches. Mayor Harrison addressed two overflow meetings at the Briggs house in the afternoon, one composed of French and the other of Italians. He reviewed some of the things accomplished during his administration and said his only desire for another term is to complete the big projects that are already commenced. He referred to Mr. Sweetzer's charge of the existence of vice and crime.

"It is a well known fact that I have done everything within my power to regulate vice and to reduce crime to a minimum, and I will continue to enforce the law, so that vice will be narrowed down to the smallest possible limit," said the mayor. "During the last four years several members of the Chicago police force have been removed after a thorough investigation by the civil service commission. It does not look well for Mr. Sweetzer to have every one of the police officials who have been discharged from the service banded together and giving him their united support."

Mrs. Harrison Talks.

Mrs. Harrison, who was at the meeting, was introduced by the chairman, Mr. A. Therkson, and made an address in French. She said she was interested in the outcome of the election and was glad to see such a large gathering of men and women of the French people present to give their assurance of support to the mayor and to help him to carry out the great projects he had begun for Chicago.

CANDIDATES' WITHDRAWALS
MUST BE IN BY WEDNESDAY.

Election Board Announces New Rules on Quitting Race and Objections to Petitions.

Candidates who contemplate withdrawing before the primaries must do so by Wednesday night of this week or their names will be printed on the primary ballot. This is a new rule made by the election board, and it is said to conform strictly with the election law.

Another rule of the board is that it will not receive objections to candidates' petitions after 5 p. m. on Feb. 6, and that all objections must be heard and determined on or before 6 o'clock p. m. on Feb. 9.



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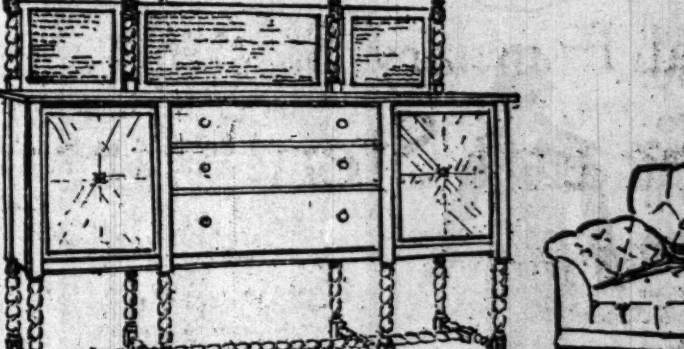
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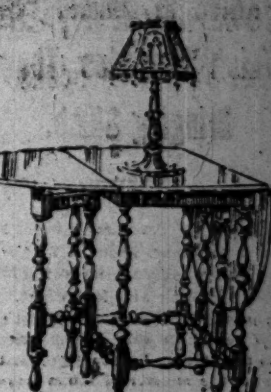
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BLIZZARD VIES WITH SPRING RAIN TO RULE WEATHER

One Killed in Blinding Storm Which Precedes Thaw, Bringing Slush.

Chicago experienced nearly every brand of winter weather, from a small blizzard to an early spring rain, between Saturday morning and last night. Conditions under foot were the worst of the year. One death was directly attributable to the storm. The only persons who welcomed the snow and slush were the 1,000 men who were given employment on the loop street.

Late Saturday night a strong east wind, which whipped the lake and piled snow and ice into heaps extending seven or eight feet above the surface of the water, endangered steamers entering and leaving the harbor. Capt. Charles Carland of the life saving station at the mouth of the river remained until he was sure three vessels had safely made the harbor after a hard fight.

There will be a drop in temperature today with more rain or snow, according to the weather man.

Policeman George O'Connor of the Fifth street station sustained a severe cut on the head when he slipped and fell upon the sidewalk in front of 73 East Forty-second street.

Car Conductor Killed.
Paul Schaefer of 634 West Thirty-fifth street, a street car conductor, who was struck by a car during the snow flurry, died at St. Anthony's hospital. Schaefer had got off his car to fix a trolley pole which had slipped from the wire at Kedzie and Archer avenues when a car in charge of Motorman J. J. Schaefer approached from the rear. Schaefer was unable to see the darkened front car on account of the snow and sleet. Schaefer was crushed between the cars.

Two persons, blinded by the sleet, were injured by automobiles. Miss Edith Cannon of 3719 Rockwell street was struck by a car driven by Charles Blower of 1448 North Clark street at Lake street and Michigan avenue. She was taken home. Oscar Bourget of 13 East Illinois street was taken to the Frodo hospital suffering from severe scalp wounds received when he was knocked down by a taxicab.

Girl Hurt by Fall.
Miss Tillie Polesky, 19 years old, of 1234 West Forty-ninth place, was injured when she slipped and fell while attempting to board a street car at Racine avenue and Forty-ninth place.

Sergeant Timothy Dillon of 8028 Evans avenue, assigned to the Stockyards station, was taken home with a sprained back as a result of a fall on the slippery sidewalk at Forty-sixth street and Westworth avenue.

The temperature began to rise Saturday afternoon and the snow changed to a fine mist, which froze on the streets. A real spring rain accompanied by a fog prevailed yesterday, melting the snow and filling the streets with slush ankle deep. By noon the mercury had reached the 35 degree mark.

ISSUES OF BONDS WILL BE TESTED

Forest Preserve and Road Projects to Be Taken to Court at Once.

BOARD ACTS THIS WEEK

Insurance of bonds totaling several million dollars for the creation of a forest preserve and the building of good roads probably will be authorized by the county board some time this week.

Unless ill health prevents him from attending the meeting this afternoon, President Peter Reinberg will introduce a resolution directing the county clerk to issue \$2,000,000 in bonds for good roads. Later in the week he intends to organize the board into a forest preserve commission, after which a similar resolution providing for a bond issue will be introduced. The amount of this issue has not been determined.

Before any attempt is made to sell the bonds it is planned to start friendly suits to have their validity passed upon by the Supreme court in the April term if possible.

The good roads resolution has been prepared by Robert W. Dunn, attorney for the Associated Good Roads organization, and Assistant State's Attorney Marvin E. Barnhart. The resolution provides for the levying of taxes so as to retire the bonds within a period of ten years.

Although the bond issue was approved by the voters at the November election, it did not receive a majority of all the votes cast. Whether such a majority is necessary is a disputed question.

There is less doubt as to the legality of the forest preserve project, but the promoters feel the approval of the highest court should be obtained at the outset.

WILSON TO TELL OF U.S. PLAN TO GARNER MORE COMMERCE

President's Speech Wednesday Before Business Men Will Disclose Scheme of Administration.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.—President Wilson will deliver before the Chamber of Commerce of the United States convention here Wednesday night what his advisers say will be one of the most important speeches of his administration.

He is expected to discuss the administration shipping bill now pending in congress, the forthcoming meeting of financial experts of South and Central America in the United States to consider trade relations in the western hemisphere, and other steps proposed to assist American foreign commerce.

TRAMP POET KEMP WEDS.

Best Known Exploit Was to Elope with Wife of Upton Sinclair a Few Years Ago.

New York, Jan. 31.—(Special).—Harry Kemp, the tramp poet and apostle of the unconventional, surrendered himself and heart to conventionality today without warning Bohemia. He got married in Weehawken to Miss Mary Faye. Kemp's best known exploit in the unconventional was to elope a few years ago with Upton Sinclair's wife. For that he was named as co-respondent in Upton's successful divorce suit.

INSURANCE MEN PLAN COMPILING DATA ON LOSSES

Classification Experience Will Be Offered for Use of the Public.

BY C. M. CARTWRIGHT.

The fire insurance companies belonging to the National Board of Fire Underwriters began on Jan. 1 reporting their loss statistics to headquarters in New York. This work starts a new era among the companies, as they have not before reported their classification experience to a central body to be used in a public way. The statistics of each company will not be divulged, but tables will be made from the aggregate.

A number of underwriters doubt the value of reporting this experience. They see little benefit in classified experience, pointing out that according to the scheme outlined by the insurance commissioners and state fire marshals the classification is one of unlike entities. However, the companies thought it best to yield to the demands, but nearly all are agreed that it will be valuable as a guide to rate making. The classification is largely one of names, rather than of like hazards.

Many Classes Are Listed.

The different classes and their subdivisions run close to 1,000 and are grouped under different headings, such as nonhazardous mercantile risks, manufacturing special hazards, nonmanufacturing special hazards, automatic sprinklered risks, and miscellaneous risks.

So far the companies have only received the cards for recording statistics as to losses, but in a few days they will be furnished with blanks for reporting the insurance end. The information desired takes up the kind of building and contents, cause of fire, amount of insurance, loss paid, date of fire, total insurance, sound value of adjustment, value of property insured, and origin of fire, whether on the premises or from exposure, and so on.

The method was worked out by a committee of the national board, in conjunction with the Insurance Commissioners' association and the State Fire Marshal's association.

Value of Automatic Sprinklers.
The value of automatic sprinklers in buildings as a fire retardant has been recognized by the public and the equipping of buildings within recent years has increased remarkably. The loss ratio on sprinklered risks has been favorable and has resulted in rates being materially reduced on this class. However, the value of having human life has not received the emphasis that it should.

The human factor was introduced by C. E. Varley, superintendent of the Improved risk department in the Springfield Fire and Marine, in an address delivered during the week before the Fire Insurance club of Chicago. He stated that the saving of human life by the use of automatic sprinkler systems had mounted up into the thousands, and predicted that the states will ultimately make compulsory the equipping of buildings where many workers are engaged in laboring in small areas.

Points Out Saving of Life.

He stated that only twelve deaths had occurred in sprinklered risks fires which his company had been interested since 1874, and of these three were the result of workmen returning to the building after escaping and four victims were members of the public fire department. This record means that there have been but five deaths in thirty-nine years among 1,000,000 employees on whom \$1,000,000 of more persons were dependent for support.

Mr. Varley estimated that there is a fire a year in one out of every five factories, and as sprinklers usually operate for twenty minutes and cause water damage, it is self-evident that some classes of risks are now being written at less than fire cost. Competition is keen among fire insurance companies for equipped properties, and this has resulted in the rates getting down almost to the vanishing point.

Insurance on Grain Products.

Fire insurance agents and companies find that the increasing value of wheat and other cereals and products made from them is greatly augmenting the amount of insurance necessary on stocks of these products. With other crops are being diminished and the insurance is being decreased accordingly, insurance agents are able to recoup to some extent their loss in premiums that they have saved as a result of slack business in other lines. Insurance men do not believe there will be any break in the price of cereals, and therefore they do not look for any more hazard to develop from a sharp decline.

The Illinois Insurance federation, through its organizer and secretary, F. H. Anderson, is organizing local branches in all the agricultural districts in the state. Insurance men of all classes, together with property owners, are eligible to membership. One of the purposes of the organization is to combat state insurance which is being proposed by the Illinois state insurance department.

TOLEDO MAN KILLS WOMAN, WOUNDS ANOTHER: SUICIDE.

Uses Shotgun on One for Turning Sweetheart Against Him, Then Pistol on Latter and Self.

Toledo, O., Jan. 31.—Miss Esther Williams was shot and killed, Mrs. Orla Dupey Sibbe was probably mortally wounded, and Robert G. Smith, the assailant of both, committed suicide in an apartment house this afternoon. The tragedy was the result of a quarrel.

Mrs. Sibbe, who conducted the apartment, rejected the attentions of Smith, who accused Miss Williams of using her influence to turn his sweetheart against him.

Smith killed Miss Williams with the charge from a shotgun, fired a revolver at Mrs. Sibbe, and then turned the pistol upon himself.

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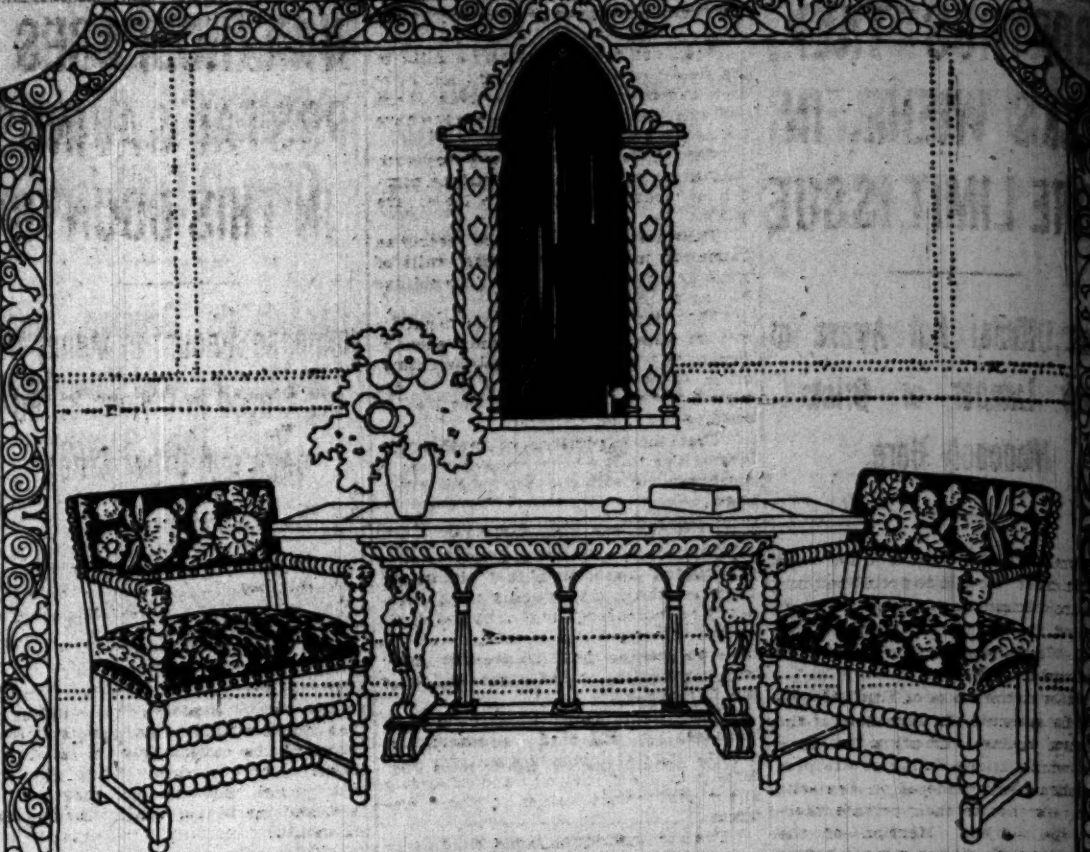
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DROPTRUST TALK, ASKS WIEHE, IN FIRE LIMIT ISSUE

Mass Official Not Aware of Any Lumber or Brick Monopoly Here.

Reference to the "brick trust" and "lumber trust" should be prohibited during future discussions of the proposed extension of the fire limits, in the opinion of C. F. Wiehe, secretary of the Edward House Lumber company.

In a letter to the editor of the Tribune, Mr. Wiehe asserted the argument of the city against extending the territory to which frame buildings are prohibited should be considered on its merits without reference to the private interests in the subject. Mention of the "trusts," he said, was only made before the common building "to bring the discussion and cloud the proper issues."

Not Aware of "Trusts." "If there are any such institutions in Chicago as a 'brick trust' and 'lumber trust,'" continued Mr. Wiehe, "I am not aware of it, but even if such institutions exist, I cannot see how or why their existence should in any way influence a decision in this matter."

"It must be perfectly manifest to any sensible man that if an ordinance is passed prohibiting the use of lumber as a building material in the territory in question, it must seriously restrict and limit the sales of lumber in Chicago, and as a natural consequence must increase and broaden the sale of brick and other building materials which compete with lumber. To argue from this, however, that the business men and citizens engaged in the lumber industry in Chicago have no right to express their views on the subject, is without importing to them bias and ulterior motives is too ridiculous to be maintained by any sensible man."

Mr. Wiehe gives eight reasons why the fire limits should not be extended. They are:

"That ordinances precisely similar to the one now under consideration have been passed covering large areas of the city and that in none of these areas have the fire losses been decreased."

"That it is in the areas where such ordinances have been in effect for a number of years that the fire losses are largest."

"That destructive fires are nearly as numerous in buildings having walls of brick and stone as they are in buildings having walls of wood."

"That this ordinance applies to purely residence districts, whereas the fire losses in residences of this city, whether frame, brick, stone, or other material, is less than 6 per cent of the total fire loss of the city."

"That the experience of most of the large cities in the country harmonizes in most respects with the experience of Chicago."

Word for Competition. "That, lumber being admitted cheaper building material, if it is eliminated from use, the cost of building must necessarily be increased, and that by the elimination of competition such increase will be even greater than the present difference between the cost of lumber and other building materials."

"That if the cost of home building is increased, it will tend to retard the growth and development of outlying residential portions of the city and adversely affect real estate values in those districts."

"That if individual home building in outlying districts is retarded, congestion of families in tenement districts is apt to increase rather than decrease."

GAS LEAK CAUSE OF DEATH.

Charles Frey Asphyxiated Despite the Fact That Burner Was Lighted, Police Believe.

A leak near a gas burner over which a small teapot had been bubbling all night is believed by the police to have caused the death of Charles Frey, a printer, who was found asphyxiated in his room at 207 West Oak street yesterday. It was at first thought he had committed suicide, but later the little flame and the leak were discovered. Frey, who was 55 years old, was a nephew of William Lohman, a nephew of Cleveland, O., was notified.

Breaks Leg in Sidewalk Fall. Dennis Rhine, 449 South Clark street, broke his right leg in two places last night when he slipped and fell on the sidewalk at Dearborn and Harrison streets.

WAR INCREASES POSTAL SAVINGS IN THIS COUNTRY

Immense Amount of Money Being Placed in Offices in Chicago and Other Cities.

(BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.) Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.—[Special.]—One of the effects of the European war has been a phenomenal growth in the postal savings system in this country. Since the outbreak of the war more than 100,000 persons have been added to the lists of depositors in postal savings banks and the total deposits have increased nearly \$3,000,000 a month. During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, postal deposits increased about \$6,000,000, or 28 per cent. During the six months from July 1 to January 31, 1915, or an increase of 36 per cent was added to the aggregate savings in the keeping of the government. The European war more than doubled the rate of increase.

The August figures showed a net gain in deposits of \$4,000,000—four times the average gain: September and October rolled up over \$3,500,000 each, and while November and December felt the usual holiday drain, these months nevertheless show more than twice the normal receipts, or about \$2,000,000 each. These facts are regarded by postal authorities as argument in behalf of the legislation now pending, which modifies the existing limitations on the amount that may be accepted from depositors. In all the large cities scores of would-be depositors have been turned away because they offered larger amounts than the law permitted postmasters to accept. If the restriction limiting to \$100 the deposit which may be made in a single month is removed and if the maximum single interest-bearing deposit be increased from \$500 to \$1,000, as proposed in the pending legislation, the business public will reap a still larger benefit from the operations of the postal banks.

Nearly one-third of the total amount on deposit was held in the six offices. New York, Chicago, Brooklyn, Boston, San Francisco, and Portland, having over \$1,000,000 on deposit. Among the offices having \$100,000 and over were:

Chicago	\$1,125,000	Omaha	246,000
Detroit	800,125	Indianapolis	175,304
St. Paul	794,680	Kansas City	174,387
Kansas City	174,387	St. Louis	171,721
St. Louis	171,721	Ironwood	154,972
Minneapolis	154,972	St. Paul	154,972
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The total of \$30,500,000 on deposit is exclusive of \$3,500,000, which is the sum withdrawn by depositors for the purpose of buying postal saving bonds.

FIRE VOLUNTEERS EFFICIENT

Pennsylvania System Employs Brigades Check 437 Blazes with Little Loss in 1914.

Reports showing the efficiency of volunteer employee fire brigades have been published by the Pennsylvania railroad. Four hundred and twenty-seven fires were extinguished by the company employees last year without help from public fire departments. The actual damage sustained in fires put out by the volunteers was \$18,465, while property worth \$2,514,404 was directly endangered.

THREE FOUND NOT GUILTY IN FRANK 'PERJURY' CASE.

Charge of Procuring False Affidavits from Preacher and Another Man Disproven.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 31.—A verdict of not guilty was returned by a jury here late today in the case of Dan S. Lehon, C. C. Tedder, and Arthur Thurman, charged with abetting the perjury in connection with the Leo M. Frank case. Lehon is a southern manager for the Burns Detective agency; Tedder formerly was employed by the agency, and Thurman is a lawyer. The defendants were accused of having procured false affidavits from the Rev. C. B. Hagdale, formerly pastor of a church here, and E. L. Barber, in which the affidavits declared they had overheard James Conley, a negro, tell another negro he had killed a girl in the penitentiary where the body of Mary Phagan was found. Conley is serving a year's imprisonment as accessory after the murder of the girl.

SWEARS SHE WILL SLAY MURDERER OF HUSBAND.

Mrs. Lucille Nigastro Dips Fingers in Blood of Blain Man and Vows Vengeance.

Mrs. Lucille Nigastro, in the presence of her three children, bent over the body of her dead husband, Tony Nigastro, in their home, at 308 West Twelfth street, yesterday, dipped her fingers in the blood which flowed from three bullet wounds, and swore to take the life of the man who had made her a widow. Nigastro was shot during a quarrel over a card game by Tony De Kalb of 615 North Western avenue, who escaped. De Kalb and his two brothers were playing cards with Nigastro and his father. A bottle of wine stood on the table, from which the players frequently helped themselves. One of the De Kalb brothers accused the younger Nigastro of cheating. An argument ensued, during which Tony De Kalb drew a revolver and fired three shots.

He and his brothers then fled, after threatening the elder Nigastro with the gun. The police went to the De Kalb residence and arrested Mike and Carmine De Kalb, brothers of the man who did the shooting, and Charles Fraher. They said Tony De Kalb did the shooting.

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The Sale begins Monday morning and lasts but two weeks. It is in progress in both the Main and Basement Sections.

Women's Hosiery	Children's Hosiery	Men's Hosiery
<p>Main Floor, North Room, State Street.</p> <p>Women's silk Hosiery, all silk, reinforced tops and soles or with lisle tops and lisle soles. 3 pair to a box. \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.25, \$4.00 and \$5.00 a box.</p> <p>Women's lavender top mercerized lisle Hosiery in regular and extra sizes; 6 pair to a box. \$2.50.</p> <p>Women's Lisle and Cotton Hosiery in regular and extra sizes. In a large variety of weights. 6 pair to a box. \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.75 a box.</p>	<p>Fourth Floor, State Street.</p> <p>Burlington Hosiery has solved the problem of many a mother in getting moderate-priced Hosiery for her children that will wear. We quote but two of the many attractive values, in infants', boys' and girls' Hosiery.</p> <p>At 25c a pair—or \$1.25 for 6 pair. A variety of weights in mercerized lisle and plain cotton, all especially reinforced with an eye for youthful activities.</p> <p>At 35c a pair, or \$1.75 for 6 pair. A wide range of styles from staple lisle, fiber silk, mercerized lisle and cotton.</p>	<p>Annex—Store for Men.</p> <p>Whatever a man's Hosiery needs or preferences, he will do well to take advantage of these special prices. They come but twice a year and economy urges that Hosiery be bought in quantities while the sale lasts.</p> <p>Among the special lines are:</p> <p>Men's black cotton Half Hose, all black or with white soles, 6 pair, \$1.25, \$1.75 and \$2.50.</p> <p>Men's black lisle Half Hose, 6 pair, \$1.25, \$1.75 and \$2.50.</p> <p>Men's black silk Half Hose, in various weights, 3 pair, \$1.25, \$2.50 and \$4.00.</p>

The Basement Hosiery Sections have equally notable values in the same Semi-Annual Sale in less expensive merchandise. Special values in popular priced Hosiery are featured.

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<p>Union Suits—Plain white or pink; made with French band top; well reinforced; sizes 34 to 44; special, \$2.00.</p>	<p>Fifth Floor.</p>

<p>Clearance of High Grade Sheets and Pillow Cases.</p> <p>Embroidered as well as plain and hemstitched Sheets and Pillow Cases that have become soiled or mused in the January Sale bear quick clearance prices.</p> <p>Second Floor, North Room, State Street</p>	<p>Clearance of Linens and Bed Spreads.</p> <p>On sale this morning, accumulations of odds and ends in soiled merchandise remaining from one of the greatest Annual Linen Sales in our history. Table Cloths (all sizes) Huck Towels Napkins Turkish Towels Crash and Huck Towelings Bed Spreads and Fancy Linens</p> <p>North Room, State Street, Second Floor</p>
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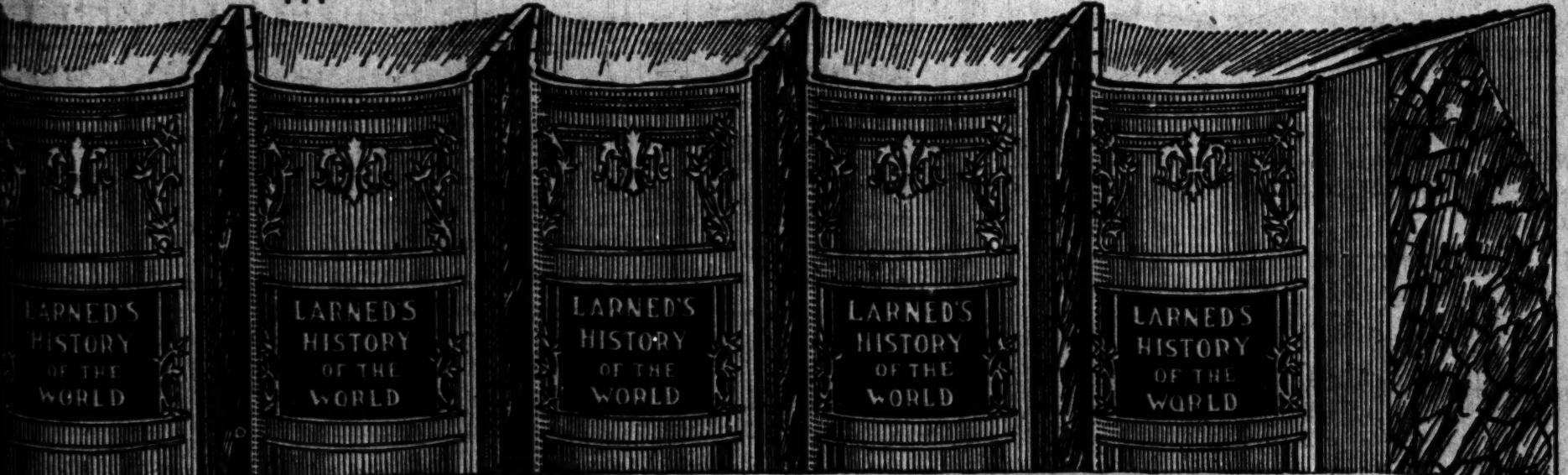
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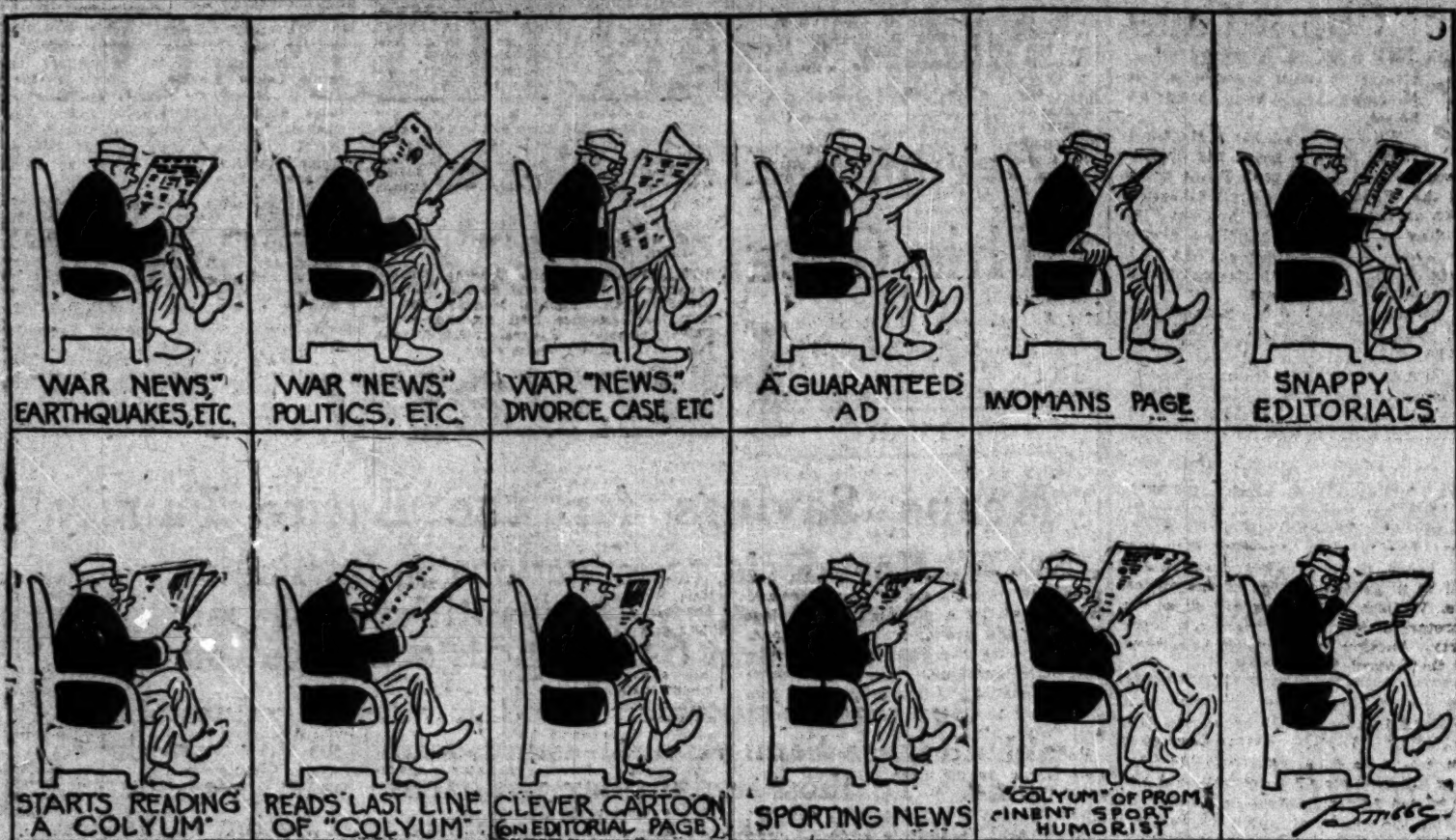
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Some friends of mine, or rather some enemies, led me to play cards. At first we played for matches, but later we played for money. We began with pennies, then with nickels, then quarters and half; when all at once I discovered that all of the \$100 was gone.

If you know how to write a love letter or if you have in your possession a letter that has heart interest or comedy or lots of love in it send it to me at once. "The Tribune" will pay \$5 for every letter published. Address Doris Blake, "Chicago Tribune."

I did not know what to do. I even thought of committing suicide. Finally a thought came to me and I told my husband that the money had been stolen. But very soon the true facts reached his ears. He became furious with anger and left home, saying that he did not wish to live with a wife whom he could not trust. Fortunately, after much begging and supplication, I won him back, but it very nearly resulted in a divorce. A. C.

Etiquette on Manicuring.



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OFTEN wonder what impels men to clean their finger nails in public and with pen knives. To the first place, pen knives are not intended for cutting or cleaning fingernails. There are implements made for such purposes—small and compact enough to fit in the vest pocket. And in the second place, the performance of cleaning fingernails is part of the private toilet and should not be done in public. There is a time and place for everything, and the time and place for cleaning the nails with a knife is not in a hotel lobby or at a restaurant table, as I have seen it done. This habit is most irritating to any woman of refinement, and it should never be indulged in if a favorable impression is desired by the man.

Lillian Russell's Answers.

MRS. S. C. C.: The formula which you asked for are much too lengthy to be printed, and you neglected to send postage. If you will send me a stamped, addressed envelope I shall be happy to mail them to you.

TRUBLED: I shall be happy to answer in a personal letter any questions you wish. If you will send me a stamped, addressed envelope. They will not be printed in the paper.

Bright Sayings of Children

"The Tribune" will pay \$1 for each childish saying printed. The stories may be sent in either by children or their parents. The only condition is the story told must never have been printed in any magazine or paper. Address bright sayings to Auntie Bee, "Tribune," Chicago.

Dorothy was taken to a theater one afternoon. After looking at the boxes for a minute she exclaimed, "Mamma, who is that sitting on the porch?" A. B.

Fashions from London By Bessie Ascough



Betty had a habit of handling anything she thought was pretty. One day her aunt told her if she saw anything pretty she should keep her hands at her side and not touch it. Betty immediately dropped her hands at her side and looked up at her aunt and said, "Auntie, I'm looking at you." H. M. G.

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MARION HARLAND'S HELPING HAND

Copy of a Song.
SEVERAL days ago I noticed a request in your Corner from some one who wanted a copy of the song, "When You and I Were Young, Maggie." I know two stanzas of it, and will gladly send them if the person who wanted them for her mother will write to me.

"MRS. MCF." A copy of the song has been forwarded to the person who asked for it. Should the request should study his companion, or guard her against tripping or falling by putting his hand under her elbow, holding it gently, but firmly, and releasing his hold when they reach firmer or smoother ground. If he walks so slipperily, he should be doubly careful. It is no longer customary for young men and women to walk arm in arm in daylight, as was the fashion of a former generation. Husband and wife may do this and it is a graceful thing for a young man to support the uncertain footsteps of grandmother or mother, or other aged woman.

Escorting a Woman.
"Will you please advise me which is proper?" When going up and down bumps or over icy places, should a man assist a woman, or should the woman take his arm? In walking along the street should a woman take a man's arm? I have heard remarks made about such, as "Looks as if she's afraid she will lose him!"

At street crossings and inequalities in the pavement or road the two are traversed, the escort should steady his companion, or guard her against tripping or falling by putting his hand under her elbow, holding it gently, but firmly, and releasing his hold when they reach firmer or smoother ground. If he walks so slipperily, he should be doubly careful. It is no longer customary for young men and women to walk arm in arm in daylight, as was the fashion of a former generation. Husband and wife may do this and it is a graceful thing for a young man to support the uncertain footsteps of grandmother or mother, or other aged woman.

Wants Old German Books.
I have a pair of glasses for a man of 60 or 70 years of age to give away. Who wants them? Gold with a silk cord. Has any one old German books or magazines that she does not want? I will pay postage on them. M. W.

Friend gift and request are registered with your name and address. We frequently have offers of German literature. I shall take pleasure in handing on your name to anybody who can spare the books.

ROBERTS & CO. GENUINE DIAMONDS \$39 Single Stones

You can easily find out what this sale means to you. Step into any reliable jeweler's and ask to see Diamonds. Make note of the weight and remember their prices, then call upon us. We will show you the same stones at our own prices. What we do say about these Single Stone Diamonds is this: You cannot match them for any other near our price. We will allow you to try to do so, if you wish, and will agree to take it back and refund your \$39 on request, within 10 days, and no questions asked. These are remarkable in color, brilliant and snappy; most of them are cut to look like three-quarter carat Diamonds; to all appearances \$75.00 Diamond Rings when worn on the finger.

Rare Opportunity
Observe these weights and prices of a few of the "Special Diamond Rings" offered at this sale. There are no duplicates.

Weight	Price	Weight	Price
1/2 of a Carat, \$19	1/2 of a Carat, \$29	1/2 of a Carat, \$39	1/2 of a Carat, \$49
3/4 of a Carat, \$29	3/4 of a Carat, \$39	3/4 of a Carat, \$49	3/4 of a Carat, \$59
1 of a Carat, \$39	1 of a Carat, \$49	1 of a Carat, \$59	1 of a Carat, \$69
1 1/4 of a Carat, \$49	1 1/4 of a Carat, \$59	1 1/4 of a Carat, \$69	1 1/4 of a Carat, \$79
1 1/2 of a Carat, \$59	1 1/2 of a Carat, \$69	1 1/2 of a Carat, \$79	1 1/2 of a Carat, \$89
1 3/4 of a Carat, \$69	1 3/4 of a Carat, \$79	1 3/4 of a Carat, \$89	1 3/4 of a Carat, \$99
2 of a Carat, \$79	2 of a Carat, \$89	2 of a Carat, \$99	2 of a Carat, \$109
2 1/4 of a Carat, \$89	2 1/4 of a Carat, \$99	2 1/4 of a Carat, \$109	2 1/4 of a Carat, \$119
2 1/2 of a Carat, \$99	2 1/2 of a Carat, \$109	2 1/2 of a Carat, \$119	2 1/2 of a Carat, \$129
2 3/4 of a Carat, \$109	2 3/4 of a Carat, \$119	2 3/4 of a Carat, \$129	2 3/4 of a Carat, \$139
3 of a Carat, \$119	3 of a Carat, \$129	3 of a Carat, \$139	3 of a Carat, \$149

Diamonds purchased from us can be returned to us any time within two years.

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FLICKERINGS from FILM LAND

"MISTRESS NELL"
Famous Players.
Miss Nell, king of England, Owen Moore, Duke of Buckingham, Arthur Hodge, Louis, Duchess of Richmond, Ruby Hoffman, Orange Mohr, and Anna Rose.

Her husband's flight and subsequent meeting with the king is just as full of fun, in Miss Pickford's efforts to keep her prank a mystery—though once, alas, she becomes close on his heels in the matter of disclosure—and the interest holds clear to the cleverly managed climax.

Excellent photography records the tale of Mistress Nell as interpreted by Miss Pickford, who shows as successfully and joyfully the power of pantomime, projected by a gifted and vivid person. "Mistress Nell" is this week's offering at the Elgfeld.

Vivian Rich has been compensated, in so far as one can be compensated for lost friends by new ones, for her lost collar. Given, by a safe little cotton toy, people, answering to the descriptive label of "Rabbit." He is a very aristocratic specimen, whose chief amusement is mooring, so for his sake—not to bother about any one else's—Miss Rich is glad she has her rabbit.

This pictured version of those magic, merry days of audacious Nell Gwynn and King Charles is largely a matter of capriciousness—and of Mary. It is gorgeously dressed, and Miss Pickford dominates every situation in very fetching fashion. It is thoroughly in the realm of romance, founded as the plot is on that quaint little idea of a man occasionally held before the eyes, concealing an identity equally from a person who loves said identity and one who hates it, not to mention a host of curious, jealous, and suspicious folk. But granting this editorial license by admitting that what is impossible is quite, quite true, there is chance enough for a deal of enjoyment from these five reels.

The main occupation of the picture is Miss Pickford's disguises as an unknown factor, and very dandified she is—who forces her way into the duchess' ball to which Mistress Nell had not been invited. Her tricks of mannerisms, her swaggers, and her mischievous smiles are as pleasant to watch as a kitten's frolics.

Of course on this occasion, since neither king nor duchess could guess who she was, she manipulated a daring plot by which she proved the duchess' treachery and saved her king from considerable royal discomfort if not disaster.

MANDEL'S 25th February furniture sale begins today.

Mandel Brothers
Underwear shop, third floor.

Milanese silk underwear
—maker's balance at savings of 25% to 33 1/3%

—this is the celebrated kind of underwear that washes as easily as a silk handkerchief, durable, too.

Milanese silk vests, 1.15
Venetian silk vests, band finish: 1.35
Silk vests, emb'd: band tops: at 1.95
Knicker bloomers of venetian silk: 1.95

Milanese union suits, 2.15
Milanese silk union suits, with band top, at 2.50
Embroidered venetian silk union suits, with shields at crotch and under the arms: at 2.75. Third floor.



All lamp shades
—fabric and wicker—
at 25% discount

—the February sale—straight discount of 25% off all shades of wicker, silk and other fabrics—for lamps, candles and electric fixtures—all shades of this character in stock and all we shall make to order during the month of February.

Gold carved wood table lamps, with shade, etc.—complete—\$10

A special purchase enables us to announce incomparable values in lamps of gold carved wood with fringed 18-inch silk shade in any color. Lamp 24 inches high to top of shade; see illustration. Lamp and shade, \$10.

Carved wood lamp, 12-inch silk shade: as shown: \$5.

Hand-carved mahogany lamp, complete with 18-inch silk shade: as illustrated: at \$12.

Lamp section—sixth floor.
Mandel Brothers

THE TRIBUNE COOK BOOK

Edited by JANE EDINGTON.

All recipes have been scientifically tested by Miss Edington with current market materials and are indexed by her.

The Globe Artichoke.
All globe artichokes are increasingly popular in our midst. The lowest price at which fine artichokes could be obtained a year or two ago has been thus early in the season this year cut in two. As they will be in season for at least four months more, and cost but \$1.50 a dozen now, we can surely expect lower prices as the season advances. As the season wanes they climb upward in price, to even \$2.50 a dozen, therefore people who wish to make the acquaintance of this vegetable should begin in time.

It is almost a pity that we do not call artichokes "cactus" (second syllable sounds like cho) as the Italians do, putting an affection into the pronunciation of the name which it is impossible to get into artichokes. We eat but the south end of the bracts, but just as they are young chickens, bones and all, and the Italians eat fresh artichokes, bones and woody or thorny tips. They have one or two wonderful ways of preparing this vegetable, with which none of us would fail.

Boiled Artichokes.
Wash artichokes, remove outer leaves and cut off a third, or perhaps one fourth, of the top, depending on the condition. Throw into salted, slightly acidulated boiling water, and cook for twenty minutes. Drain and serve on a plate with a tablespoon of Hollandaise sauce at the side to dip the bracts into, or let the artichokes stand in cold and serve with mayonnaise the same way. Raw artichokes, when fresh, are eaten by dipping the bracts into oil seasoned with salt and lemon.

MARSHALL FIELD & CO.

INTERIOR DECORATIONS & FURNISHINGS

News of other Home-furnishing values will be found elsewhere in this paper.

Radical Discounts on Stemware Throughout February

EVERY Goblet and EVERY Sherbet Glass in stock—EVERY pattern, included. 90c to \$88.00 a Dozen.

Clearance of odd pieces and discontinued patterns of Stemware—at exceptionally great discounts—15c upward.

Glassware Section, Second Floor.

The 22nd February Sale of Dinner Sets Begins Today—

With 1,000 Fine Sets at Greatly Lowered Prices

Notwithstanding conditions affecting importations, we are ready. The Annual Sale of Pickard Studio Samples and discontinued studies begins today. Pickard China is sold in Chicago exclusively by us.

China Section, Second Floor.

The Wonderful Japanese Art of Flower Arrangement

with all of its beautiful symbolism, will be demonstrated by a Japanese woman, late of Japan, in our Artware Section, Wabash Avenue Building, Second Floor, throughout this week—daily from one o'clock to half-past five o'clock p. m. Our patrons are invited.

The Oriental Flower Container, illustrated, is priced for this occasion at 50c. These can be purchased complete with flower holder, stand, and artificial flowers in any arrangement desired. This is but one of about fifty varieties of Flower Containers specially priced.

Also—the entire stock of Oriental Artware—Bronzes, Ivories, Porcelains, Blackwood Stands, etc.—has been greatly reduced for this month.

Artware Section, Second Floor.

Special Prices on Framing Orders and All Frames in Stock During February

These special prices include also the restoring of paintings on canvas, repairing and refinishing of old and damaged frames, resilvering mirrors, bleaching engravings, etc. Estimates furnished upon request.

Special: 300 Hand-Carved Pedestal Standing Frames for Photographs—in a new design made especially for this sale.
(Roman Gold Finish) At \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00 (In Gold Leaf Finish) At \$3.00, \$3.25, \$3.50

Picture Framing Section, Second Floor.

This Is the ONE Opportunity of the Entire Year to Obtain Radically Reduced Prices on Lamps—and Discounts on Silk Shades

The entire stock of Fabric Lamp and Candle Shades is offered at great discounts during February. Special reductions are given on all Fabric Shades made to order.

Hundreds of our patrons have been waiting for this February Sale. Those who are not so familiar with the nature of the values will profit by an early visit.

At \$15.00 complete—Solid mahogany Table Lamps; in three styles, illustrated, 26 inches high, 18 inch Tudor Shades, with 4 inch fringe. All Shades are lined.

At \$15.00 complete—Carved wood Table Lamps, with 18 in. shade. At \$6.50—A special assortment of 18 in. Silk Empire Table Lamps, with 18 in. shade. Shades, with 4 in. silk fringe, gold lace top and bottom.

300 Glass Library Lamps, specially priced. Prices range from \$6.50 to \$35.00.

Lamp Section, Second Floor.

350 Pr. Japanese Muslin Curtains (Hand drawn and hand embroidered.) \$2.85 Pair

Imported by us from Japan. Made of high-grade, diaphanous muslin in several very interesting designs.

Fifth Floor.

Forward!

Our confidence in steadily improving business conditions, and the increasing demands which we expect to be made upon this Store, have caused us to plan generously for the big merchandising months now at hand—with larger stocks, wider assortments, better facilities, and a more complete service than ever before.

The notable Sales announced below are but an indication of what this service means in its Greater Practical Benefit to our patrons. Improved quality at the same or lower prices than ever before is the keynote.

MARSHALL FIELD & CO.

The Product of a People

The immensity of this institution has not been the ambition of those directing it—rather have the thoughts, the living and ideals of the people of Chicago created it. The public demands necessitate an organization that travels to the remotest corners of the earth to ferret out the good—the beautiful—the unusual—in merchandise. This demonstrates that the people of Chicago enjoy to the utmost those things that the genius of mankind is creating to raise the standard of living of the whole world.

Our Annual Sale of Newest Spring Silks Begins Today

Thousands of Yards at Remarkable Savings



Offering New Styles in Apparel in All Sizes From That for the Tiniest Baby to the Tot of Four Years—

The February Sale of Infants' Wear Begins This Morning

This sale includes comprehensive assortments from French and English, as well as the best American makers. Some of the best values of the year now offered.

Visitors are invited to inspect the newly appointed "Ideal Nursery" in this Section.

We Commence Our Annual February Sale with

1,500 House Dresses at \$2.95 Each

Offering in Advance of the House-Cleaning Season Exceptional Values in Practical and Pretty Dresses.

Sketched are two examples of the new styles—To the right—A charming military-collared model of tissue gingham; also offered in ratine. To the left—A Dress of Racquet Cloth, in rose, Copenhagen, pink, white and lavender, with collar and cuffs of embroidered organdie.



500 Dresses From Our Own "Priscilla" Factory.

Excellent made of striped ginghams, percales, chambrays, linens, crepes, voiles and ratines, some with collars and vestes of pique, hand embroidered in color. All sizes, 34 to 46.

We have never made such extensive preparations for any previous February Sale. Values throughout are exceptional.

SIXTH FLOOR, WABASH AVENUE.

50 Interesting Styles in New Blouses at \$5.00

With such tremendous variety in Blouses at this price it would seem as though every preference could be satisfied. We have never been able to offer such values.

Shadow Lace Blouses Georgette Crepe Blouses Plain and "Candy-stick Stripe" Crepe de Chine Blouses



Tailored, semi-tailored and elaborate styles, tucked, button-trimmed and embroidered—some hand embroidered. Never was choice of smart Blouses at \$5.00 made easier or more satisfactory.

Sketches: A model of Georgette Crepe, with novel new cuffs and vestes and collar of braided net. A new style in an excellent quality crepe de chine, with a collar adaptable to three ways of wearing. SIXTH FLOOR, MIDDLE ROOM, STATE STREET.

February Sale of Women's and Misses' Skirts



No longer is the separate Skirt reserved for outing and sports wear. Its increased popularity has led designers to produce many extremely smart and beautiful models, suitable for afternoon dress wear, for tea dances and other occasions.

With the increased favor accorded Skirts, our preparations for this Annual Sale have also assumed more important proportions. Never in our history have we offered such values. It is the month of all twelve for women and misses to purchase Skirts—of tub fabrics as well as cloths and silks.

Style Indications.

Supple taffetas, silk failles and other silken weaves have been put into many of the newest Skirts. In woollens, gabardines are highly favored.

A visit to the Women's and Misses' Skirt Sections will acquaint women with the comprehensive styles shown and their very moderate pricings.



MISSSES' SKIRTS.

At \$4.00—Smart gabardine model, with adjustable tailored strap laced through skirt and trimmed with buttons. At \$10.75—The attractive and quality raff of skirt of shepherd's check taffeta, illustrated, with new chat buttons for trimming. Sixth Floor, Middle North Room.

Style Changes Are So Radical That Most Women Will Find an Extraordinary Interest in These New Displays of

Suits at \$32.50, \$37.50, \$47.50, \$57.50 and Costumes at \$25.00, \$30.00, \$35.00 and \$47.50

The new advance styles in Women's Coats also on view.

Sixth Floor, South Room, State Street.

At no time have we made such an important Silk Announcement as this.

- 2,500 yards 36 in. Chiffon Dress Taffeta, in all the desired shades, \$1.05 yd.
- 5,000 yards 40 in. Satin Charmion, in all the desired street and evening shades, \$1.00 yd.
- 8,000 yards 36 in. Cachemire de Soie, in a comprehensive line of street and evening shades, 95c yd.
- 2,000 yards 40 in. Duchesse Mousseline, in navy, plum, seal, myrtle and ivory, or black, 95c yd.
- 2,500 yards 40 in. black Superior Dress Satin, 95c yd.
- 3,000 yards 40 in. Crepe de Chine, in ciel, navy, emerald, taupe, copper, Copenhagen, cadet, amethyst, 85c yd.
- 7,000 yards 35 in. Satin Louvain, in light, medium and dark colors, in the desired shades, 70c yd.
- 3,000 yards 36 in. Imported Stripe Wash Silks, will launder like muslin, 55c yd.
- 1,000 yards 40 in. Poplin in street shades and black, \$1.20 yd.

Only by taking quick advantage of unusual opportunities in the silk market were we enabled to offer the above values, which we feel confident will result in a sales record far surpassing any previous single day's business in our history.

34,000 yards of beautiful new Silks, woven for this Spring's selling, and priced lower than has ever been possible before.

All (with one exception) are plain, colored Silks, but the range of shades is little short of amazing. The gradations in color permit color blendings and harmonies rarely possible.

For Spring costumes, frocks, waists, linings—in fact for most of the uses to which Silk is put women can buy at prices so low we find it difficult to give an adequate expression of the values. Not only women who are planning wardrobes, but all who use Silk in quantities cannot do better than to attend this Sale.

While it is always best to select early, we believe every customer will be served promptly and happily throughout the day.

An equally notable selling of less expensive Silks in the Basement Silk Section.

Fabric Gloves—Buy Them Now in the February Sale

Weights and Qualities to Suit All Preferences, for All Seasons of the Year

Women's silk-lined Suede, Glace and Mocha, Double Silk, Embroidered Silk and Chamotte Gloves at greatly reduced prices, in both the Main and Basement Sections.

Women's Suede and Glace Cape sewn, silk lined, good assortment of shades, all sizes, usually are sold at much higher prices, a pair, 90c. Women's Mocha and Cape Milanese silk-lined Gloves, tan, gray, black and white. Specially priced, a pair, \$1.25.

Women's Double Silk Gloves, 2 clasps, black, white, tan, blue and gray, special, a pair, 85c. Women's 16-button length Embroidered Silk Gloves, white, 2 patterns. These come in 1/4 sizes, assuring a most perfect fitting silk glove. Specially priced, a pair, \$1.00.

Women's Duplex Chamotte Gloves, 2 clasps, black or self-embroidered on backs. White only, all sizes. Special, a pair, 65c.

On sale in both the Main and Basement Sections.

French and Domestic Lingerie—Reduced

Great savings are made possible in this Annual Clearance. Very exceptional values in Muslin Underwear, soiled from display and handling during the January Sale, are offered—even the special January prices being sharply reduced.

Women will find in this Sale all qualities and varieties of Muslinwear, both imported and domestic, all of which require but a tubbing to restore their original beauty and value.

All Flannel Nightdresses Greatly Reduced.

FIFTH FLOOR, SOUTH ROOM, STATE STREET.

Women's Kid Gloves Nearly All Lines Reduced in This 21st Annual Sale

Every pair of Gloves in this Sale is from our regular lines. These are high grade, reputable qualities, which, as nearly every woman knows from experience, are well worth their regular prices. The liberal reductions this month, in view of present conditions, make it wise to buy Gloves now for most of one's Spring needs.

Alexandre made, short, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00.

Mousquetaire style, \$2.25, \$2.40, \$2.65, \$2.90, \$3.15, \$3.40, \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50—according to length and quality. Other lines of fine French Kid Gloves from Grenoble. Also at reduced prices.

Short—\$1.35, \$1.50 and \$1.85.

Mousquetaire style, \$1.75, \$2.65, \$3.15, \$3.75 and \$4.50—according to length and quality.

Special: Elbow length, white only, at \$2.65.

Special reductions on Cape, P.M. sewn Gloves for street wear, 95c, \$1.15, \$1.35, \$1.65 and \$2.00. First Floor.

The February Sale of Silk Petticoats

Brings Charming New Designs With Many Quaint Ruffles.

A revival of the modes of 1835—the extremely wide skirts trimmed with flutings and festoons—assures the popularity of these New Petticoats.

Many are as softly feminine as can be imagined, adorned with many a wee frilling, with deep pleated flounces, with circular cut flounces. Fabrics are willow taffetas, silk jerseys, crepes de chine and messalines.

New Springlike Colorings for Street and Party Wear

Some of the silks are offered in changeable colors—all are supple, well cut, carefully made. Values are exceptional—tremendous preparations having been made for this 1915 Sale. Prices \$2.95 to \$16.75.

FIFTH FLOOR, SOUTH ROOM, STATE STREET.

HUGS AND KISSES MARK 'BENEFITS' AT DANCE HALLS

Women Investigators, on Tour
of North Side, Find Youths'
Morals Menaced.

BAR PERMITS FLOURISH.

Club women again went out sleuthing among some of Chicago's dance halls late Saturday night and early yesterday morning. On the north side they found conditions similar to other sections of the city, with the exception that there appeared more open hugging and some "lifting of the skirt." In one hall in particular some of the men fox trotted every few steps and hoisted their partners bodily into the air.

In general there was found lots of kissing, much drinking, and a system of conduct which led the investigators to denounce the practices as evil and dangerous to the young. In the sleuthing party were Mrs. James Hour, chairman of the dance hall committee of the Chicago Political Equality League, for the Twenty-third ward, and Miss Nellie McLennan.

These Halls Visited.
They visited the Viking temple at 3255 Sheffield avenue, the Noble hall at 3105 Sheffield, and other dance halls.

The evidence obtained will be added to that already gathered to form a basis for the demand on the county license committee for the revoking of all special bar permits. These bar permits, the club women assert, are being used by saloonkeepers to sell more "drinks" after 1 o'clock. The county license committee contends that these special bar permits are given to enable the various singewines and fraternal organizations to raise money for their sick.

Led by Mrs. Merriam.

For some time Mrs. Charles E. Merriam, wife of the Midway alderman, who is chairman of the dance hall committee for the Chicago Political Equality League, has been collecting "evidence" against the dance halls. Under her supervision more than 100 women have been taking in sleuthing parties to the dance halls in the city. Mrs. Merriam said that the dance halls were being used by saloonkeepers to sell more "drinks" after 1 o'clock. The county license committee contends that these special bar permits are given to enable the various singewines and fraternal organizations to raise money for their sick.

Others Get "Favors."

Four such persons were favored with special permits to sell in the dance halls. The permits were given to one person in that time. The permits were issued to another, and even to two others. One permit was issued to a woman who was a member of the Chicago Political Equality League. The permit was issued to a woman who was a member of the Chicago Political Equality League.

These figures do not bear out the contention of the United Societies that the dance halls are being used by saloonkeepers to sell more "drinks" after 1 o'clock. The figures show that saloonkeepers are using the privilege for business.

When the city council passed the ordinance it was to give educational and philanthropic societies an opportunity to raise money for the sick by the sale of bar permits. But this purpose has not been carried out, as we have abundant proof to show.

On June 22, 1905, when the privilege of the special bar permit first started, to June 11, 1914, there have been 40,282 such permits issued. This means that on an average of 5,000 permits have been given out in a year, not to benevolent societies, but to saloonkeepers.

Masks at Viking Temple.
At the Viking temple a prize masquerade ball was in progress. The ladies of the temple were giving their annual ball to the Swedish people. The masqueraders came in such numbers that standing room was a luxury.

A squad of girl "Boy Scouts" was conspicuous with their light trousers, broad hats, and sabers. An aged woman wore a pair of white trousers to match her hair, and a black coat.

A pretty girl had made a pair of new black satin pajamas for the occasion. A body of lace set off the spick-span costumes, with the creases strikingly observable in the trousers.

A Kephithophiles in red costume and with horns that go with this fallen archangel assured all the girls that he would "get them sooner or later" as he passed in the grand march.

The management at the temple, however, was alert and vigilant in the time, trying to control the crowds in the various rooms.

Down in the basement, however, where refreshments and liquors were sold, rowdiness reigned. Young men dressed as French soldiers sat at a long table and snatched girls and drank whiskey from shot bottles. Some girls poured the whiskey into their coffee before they indulged.

Sit on Men's Knees.
Another practice that was observed with great frequency was that of sitting on the men's knees. The management at the Viking temple objected to this, however, and a youth protesting loudly that he could do as he pleased with a girl was pushed out of the dance hall.

While this disturbance was threatening the peace in the basement a young woman was hustling upon "peeing" her partner's face. She was quite a feat, as she had to procure the paint from the face of another boy, while holding her companion a captive by the hair. A large question mark in black paint showed

Grandpa Wilson and Papa Sayre Minding Wonderful White House Baby.



down the side of each cheek of one of the boys.

A woman with a key in her hand stood outside of the VIKING temple. She held the key out to a man passing.

"I have a key but no room," she said. "Can you tell me where to get a room?"

At Noble hall the lights burned low. A faint glimmer of light, however, directed the investigators to the rear entrance.

Here girls from the bar fox trotted in their white aprons and other girls sat in men's laps.

A young man in glasses was a favored member of the women. Although he was anything but handsome, he appeared to possess unusual attraction to them. A girl in a blue party dress sat on one knee, while a girl in a black satin princess sat on the other knee and ran her fingers through his blonde hair.

The man passed at a third girl at his side, his arm tightly about her waist. When he retired to the bar for liquid refreshment neither girl spoke to the other.

Six Sit in His Lap.
During the half hour the investigators remained no less than six different girls had sat in that Romeo's lap. He assured them that he would not be satisfied until he had "sixty just like them."

Men in Noble hall resented the departure of the investigators very much. "Hey, let me go, too!" they shouted, as they disappeared through the exit.

The service at the bar at Noble hall was not conspicuous after 1 o'clock, however. A young woman in a long brown fur coat and with her arms crossed, was removed from another dance hall to a street car. Her head was supported on the shoulder of a young man under 21. She was in a maudlin state.

At Halsted and Aldine streets an automobile stopped suddenly. The chauffeur was waiting the different halls for passengers beyond locomotion at the hour of 8 o'clock in the morning. He was disappointed when the investigators did not take seats in his automobile.

No Police on Duty.
The dance hall at 1608 Clybourn avenue was without a policeman from 11 o'clock to 1:30 on Saturday night two weeks ago, the investigators reported. Then a policeman appeared for a "drink," and remained exactly twenty minutes, they said.

At this dance hall the men danced with the girls held in their arms. The feet of the girls sometimes were inches from the floor. In the game of "cracking the whip" one girl fell in a heap with one foot under her and the other extended. Boys caught her by the arms and sent her sliding across the ballroom floor.

NEW YORKER TAKEN HERE
BY FEDERAL AUTHORITIES.

Harrison Martin Charged with Deserting Wife and Fleeing with Another Woman.

Harrison E. Martin, a New York newspaper man, was arrested at Madison and Dearborn streets late yesterday by two agents of the department of justice. Martin, who is alleged to have deserted his wife in the east and fled to Canada with his 9 year old son and a new "mother," was taken up in the detective bureau.

The charge is said to be violation of the Mann act.

Martin was seen by reporters at headquarters.

"I don't know why I was arrested," he said. "They didn't have any warrant and didn't bother to tell me what the charge was."

Martin was carrying two empty suit cases when the department men took him into custody.

Thirteenth White House Baby.

Unless he is to be regarded as inheriting the Wilson luck in the future 13, Baby Sayre needs all the help he can get to overcome the double hoodoo of being the thirteenth White House baby as well as the son of the thirteenth White House bride.

After everybody was quite satisfied that he was the eleventh child born in the White House an inconspicuous man came along and said:

"Hold on! You're leaving out two. Our family records show that in President Polk's time two of the children of John Knox Walker, the president's nephew and secretary, were born there. They were my aunt and uncle, Belle and Knox Walker. What is more."

Thus said Charles W. Walker, a reliable Washington business man.

SNAP BABY SAYRE WITH GRANDPA ON SHIPWRECK

President Holds New Relative
for Photographers
at White House.

Float Six Days on Pieces of
Craft with Little Food
or Water.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.—[Special.]—The White House baby has had his picture taken. It happened on Friday, in the red room. With two cameras clicking madly, as fast as two photographers could slide the plates, with father and grandfather wearing the smile that won't come off, nurse hovering in the middle distance and interested White House attaches in the background, Master Francis Sayre managed to "look pleasant," as plegant as the most hardened footfall favorite. That was something of an achievement at 2 weeks.

First, nurse relinquished him to the tender mercies of his father. Father was careful. He held the baby just so, scarcely letting himself breathe, and looking horribly worried at the first click of the camera. Next time, having survived the first shock, he seemed a bit reassured, and even smiled down at his small son.

Grandfather in Picture.
Grandfather was getting closer in his hovering; he simply could not keep his distance. Next time the camera clicked he had come in where he could really see what was going on. He had his hand on the back of father's chair, and was smiling down at his shoulder at small son. Then daddy turned around, and seeing grandfather simply holding to get the camera. Next time, having survived the first shock, he seemed a bit reassured, and even smiled down at his small son.

Sea Like a Tidal Wave.
The Ethel V. Boynton left Mobile on Dec. 26, lumber laden for Genoa, and on Jan. 11 ran into a terrific gale. The cargo shifted and it sprang a leak. That night, according to the mate, Charles E. Olsen, one of the seven aboard the Monterey, "a heavy sea like a tidal wave" swept over the bark, carried away the wheel and sails and soon filled the vessel until it was waterlogged and helpless.

The next morning found us a total wreck. "The next morning found us a total wreck," continued the mate. "We tried to secure things and save a few stores to take with us in a boat. In the midst of our preparations the bow yard came crashing down on the deck, and we were obliged to cut away the rigging and throw the spar overboard. We put the big boat in the water, but it was instantly smashed to pieces."

Most Goes Through Bottom.
"After that the bark began to break up. That day the fore lower mast went through the bottom, and after hanging for four hours drifted clear. We hung on, but on the afternoon of the 14th the bow broke apart and left us. Two hours later the main deck was swept away and left only the after house."

"We hung to this until Sunday, the 17th, when our position became so dangerous that we decided to break off the top of the house and use it for a raft. On this small remnant the twelve of us floated off. The next day we sighted a piece of the main deck, paddled to it with boards, and made a bigger raft. But that soon began to break up, and we had almost given up hope when the Monterey came along."

DRESS OF GIRLS LURE FOR BOYS, SAYS WOMAN

Tight Skirts of Thin Material,
Silks, and Cosmetics Draw
Dr. Seppel's Fire.

NO YOUTH NOWADAYS.

"Nowadays there are no such things as girls and boys. Overnight, children become 'the younger set.' From the nursery they step directly into a sort of housewife young manhood and young womanhood."

Dr. Seppel, who is an assistant city physician, was talking before the current events class in the First Congregational church in Evanston yesterday when she switched into the subject of the lost "golden ages."

Dress "Positively Immodest."
"The clothes worn today by girls of 14, 15, and 16 are positively immodest," said Dr. Seppel. "So much so that they encourage advances from the opposite sex. Made of transparent materials, cut extremely low and slit high, their skirts invite attention of the least desirable sort."

"Even highly respectable parents permit their daughters to use rouge and paint and pencils to disguise themselves behind worldly masks and to cheat themselves out of their precious girlhood."

"All the healthy outdoor sports, all the pleasant girlish associations, all the happy hours with books suited to their age—all these things are lost. It is not only the daughters of well-to-do parents, either, who are jumping from childhood to womanhood. Poor girls are their luckier sisters in the matter of clothing, and the result, while often tragically comical, is the same as regards their transition."

Boys Get Old Too Young.
"In the same way, under the present influences, boys have manhood forced upon them when they should be manhood. Factories and offices are looking back upon an after years with a sigh and a smile. The son of wealthy parents is launched into what we call 'society' at marble age. The poor boy starts by going to neighborhood parties. After a few hours and tastes of dissipation until, at 20, our boys are worn out sufferers from ennui. They have seen it all and look forward to nothing new."

"It's up to the parents to do something, and to do it quick."

"DR." GRAVATT THROWN
INTO CELL BY WIFE NO. 1.

Just Out of St. Louis Jail Where
Wife No. 2 Put Him and Now
He's in Again.

"Dr." Arthur A. Gravatt, who obtained his "Yale" degree behind the counters of Chicago department stores, is again in trouble with one of the two women who have called him husband. No sooner did the doors of the St. Louis jail swing open for a four months' sentence for bigamy, preferred by the St. Louis wife, No. 2, than Gravatt was lodged in the detective bureau in Chicago, charged with wife abandonment by wife No. 1.

And Mrs. Henriette Stude Gravatt of Chicago, who is wife No. 1, is determined that before she is through with the "Dr." he will have no wives at all. She is the daughter of Charles F. Stude of 1825 Roscoe street, and the mother of Gravatt's 2 year old daughter.

"Don't you think that four months' sentence for bigamy is enough for your husband?" she was asked last night.

"I should say not," came the smiling reply. "I'm going to ask for the maximum penalty for wife abandonment if I have anything to say about it. Not only that, I'm going to get a divorce."

N. S. SNYDER, FATHER OF
WIFE SLAYER, BLAMES SON.

Asserts Man Who Killed Woman
and Committed Suicide Was Insane from Youth.

Houston, Tex., Jan. 31.—[Special.]—N. S. Snyder, 70 years old, father of Ward S. Snyder, who committed suicide after slaying his wife, Mrs. Lorena Wheeler Bradford Snyder, a former Chicago singer, told the story of his son's life today. Through his physician he issued a public statement for the purpose, he said, "that no cloud might rest on a good woman's name."

Snyder bore his death as he was jealous of attentions paid her by a grand opera singer.

The father asserted his son had been insane from childhood. Young Snyder ran away from home at 15 and by 20 was a physical and mental wreck, he said, and served time in prison for bigamy.

"His wife was the only person in all this world who had a good influence on him," said Mr. Snyder. "I lay all the sin upon my boy. I want to see justice done Lorena Wheeler Snyder and her children."

GEN. VILLA NOT WOUNDED,
CAROTHERS WIRES BRYAN.

Reports That Mexican Leader Was
Shot Refuted by Chieftain Him-
self.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.—Denial of reports that Gen. Villa had been seriously wounded was received at the state department today from American Agent Carothers at El Paso. He informed the department that Villa himself at Aguas Calientes yesterday sent him a telegram saying he was all right and had not been injured in any way.

Peace or War?



What do you want, peace or war? Milady can have either in the style of her hat this spring. Both varieties will be on exhibition today at the opening of the convention of the National Association of Milliners at the Congress hotel.

Most of the styles developed from the army were utilized following the Balkan war, so the milliners have turned to the navy for the spring creations. Butternut gray is the predominating color, with red, white, and blue decorations. Summer hats in marine blue, battleship shaped hats with Crown Prince red tops, snake borders, and white and black celluloid wheels and aeroplane shapes are among the other styles.

White bayonet band, satin grapes, old French roses, hand made violets, and sand colored silk on less extreme shapes are for the peace advocates. Another innovation is the human hair veil, a fine net woven of hair to match that of the wearer, from blondes and brunettes to silver gray. The hats have been made under the direction of Mme. Maeris Harries, president of the association.

STARVING GIRL TURNS ON GAS BILLY SUNDAY DOOMS CHICAGO

Mary Miller, Orphan of 17,
Alone and Jobless, Tries
to End Her Life.

Out of work and hungry, Mary Miller turned on the gas. A maid at the rooming house of Mrs. G. E. Sullivan, 1146 West Jackson boulevard, found Mary in time. That is why Mary is alive to tell the story.

At the Chicago Woman's Shelter at 112 South Morgan street, where the Desplains street police had taken her, she told her story last night. Dr. Jean T. Zimbar, superintendent of the shelter, surrounded her with comfort.

Mary is tall for her age. She is just 17.

Nothing to Eat for Two Days.
"I had not eaten anything for two days," said Mary, her lips trembling. "I spent my last nickel when I telephoned to my brother to have him call me up. I waited until 9 o'clock. But he did not call."

"My mother used to tell me before she died that she would rather have death than a bad child."

Three weeks ago I took a room at Mrs. Sullivan's. I had \$5. Then, my brother gave me \$5. I lived on the \$5 for three weeks.

How She Spent It All.
"I paid \$2 a week for room rent. Then I spent 20 cents a day for my meals. I bought canned goods and bread and milk at the grocery. I slept until noon, and had breakfast and luncheon in one meal. I had nothing but for three weeks, because I had no way of cooking in my room."

"I bought two pairs of stockings at 15 cents a pair and two suits of underwear for \$1. Then I bought two newspapers a day to look for work. I walked to save carfare and looked for work every day, but could find none."

"One day I did not eat at all. Then I promised to pay the grocer woman 20 cents on Tuesday. If she would trust me, on Tuesday I could not do this, because I had no money. My brother had promised to send me some by special delivery, but it did not come. He could not help me, because he had to pay a debt of \$100. He is only 20."

Her Parents Dead.
"My father is dead and so is my mother. My aunt always threw up my dependence upon her to me, and I wished to be independent. So, I left her and tried to get work. I am a typist, but I can do many things."

"I turned off the gas in the hall so there would not be an explosion. Then I turned on the gas in my room and lay down to sleep and die."

"My great burned and my head was heavy. I heard the ringing of bells. And I saw my mother right before me. I did not know anything then, until the police brought me here. But now I am sorry that I did such a thing. I hope to get a position and make some money and pay back the grocer woman her 20 cents. I don't owe any one else. If I had remained another week at the landlady's I should have had to pay \$10 room rent."

SPLENDORS SOLD FOR SONG
AT \$2,000,000 ROGERS HOME

Fairhaven, Mass., Residence of
Late Standard Oil Magnate Being
Destroyed.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 31.—[Special.]—The \$2,000,000 residence of the late Standard Oil magnate, Henry H. Rogers, at Fairhaven, is being ripped to pieces. Wreckers are tearing it apart, and all of the interior splendors are being sold for a mere trifle of what they cost. Major Curley of Boston has bought many of the fittings for a new home. The \$100,000 leaded glass windows brought \$100. The \$1,000 chandelier in the dining room went for \$100. Mahogany doors, which were in every one of the eighty-five rooms, and which cost \$125 apiece, went for \$15 each.

CARUSO GIVES \$10 TO POOR.
Also Hugs Overcoat, After Seizing
Hunger Line of 2,461 in
New York.

New York, Jan. 31.—[Special.]—Enrico Caruso went out into the snow this afternoon to see a string of 2,461 poverty stricken persons, twenty of them women, which stretched from the rear of his hotel in West Forty-first street to Bryant park. After Caruso had gone back to the hotel he sent out his valet, who put on a waiting man the coat that the singer had worn. He also gave \$100 to a police sergeant in charge of the line to distribute to the most needy.

READS PAPER: SITS ON NAIL.
Illini Student So Enraged in
"Tribune" He Picks Seat
Without Looking.

Champaign, Ill., Jan. 31.—[Special.]—Herbert C. Helm, a student of the University of Illinois, became so enraptured while reading The Tribune yesterday afternoon that he sat on a nail in a board. Helm is a son of former State Senator Helm of Metropolis.

LARGE BAKERIES BAR BREAD RISE TO 6 CENT LOAF

Say Competition Will Force the
Small Shops to Keep
Price at a Nickel.

ADVANCE MAY COME LATER.

Bread in Chicago will be 5 cents a loaf today. A few bakers may ask 6 cents, but there are many others who will charge bread buyers the regular price—5 cents. The plans of the Master Bakers' association to increase the price of bread to 6 cents a loaf today fell through following the meeting of the officers of the association in the Schiller building Saturday night.

The owners of large baking plants in the city are responsible for the 5 cent loaf today. That price may not last long, but representatives of several of the larger bakeries said they would not raise the price for several days yet.

Must Meet Competition.
Since the larger bakeries have not increased the price of their product, the smaller bakeries must meet the competition and the price set by the larger bakeries. Some of the small shops are advantageously located, however, and are in a position to enforce a higher price, it was reported.

The skyhigh price of wheat has brought the talk of dearer bread. The larger bakeries again have the advantage of the smaller bakeries, in that they are able to buy quantities of flour on contracts which entitle them to lower prices than the small baker, with no storeroom, can get.

The bigger concerns have flour stored now, while the smaller bake shops must go into the open market and buy at market prices, which are considerably above what they were three months ago.

Schulze Denies Increase.
Paul Schulze of the Schulze Baking company said last night that his company did not contemplate any increase in the bread price for several days.

"We will sell the loaf which we have been setting a nickel for at 5 cents tomorrow," Mr. Schulze said. "There will be no increase immediately, although I can't say how long the time will be until an increase in price is necessary."

Other dealers' views follow:
Gross & Akers, 245 Roscoe boulevard—Our bread will be the same price today. I don't see how the small bakers can raise the price when the larger ones keep the old price. If some bakers raise the price and the rest keep it down, the latter will get the business. So I believe so long as a few are able to keep the price down, the rest of the bakers will do the same. Rent is high and the small baker can't afford to rent storeroom for flour. I think an increase in the price will come soon, however.

Increase May Come Later.
William Bloom, 555 East Forty-ninth street—There will be no increase in the price of our bread for a few days. I understand most of the bakers are planning a raise in a few days. It will be necessary, but we will keep the 5 cent price for a while.

Phillips Cohen, 1159 West Division street—We can't afford to raise the price of our bread when the other bakers all around us keep the same price. We sell only the 10 cent loaf and we won't raise the price until everybody does.

Ward Baking company—No raise in the price.

Miller-Schlesinger Baking company—We make only bran and raisin bread. There will be no increase in the price.

Irvin P. Palm, 2305 W. Lake street—Our price will remain the same as it has been for several years.

Sailer bakery—The price of our bread will not be increased.

Martin Bakers' association, announced Saturday he had raised the price to 6 cents. A reporter for The Tribune tried to reach Mr. Heinel last night to see if he was going to maintain the 5 cent price in the face of the 6 cent competition. He was reported at his residence that he had nothing to say.

Other members of the Master Bakers' association said they understood the price of 6 cents was to go into effect today, but that they would not make the advance until they saw that all the other bakers in the city were doing the same.

Urges Housewives to Act.
Mrs. H. V. Von Holst, president of the Clear Food club, is watching closely the action of the bakers. Incidentally Mrs. Von Holst suggested the best way to keep prices down is for the women to do their own baking for several weeks.

District Attorney Charles F. Clynne has investigators observing the procedure of members of the Master Bakers' association to see if there is concerted action or anything that indicates an agreement to increase the price. Mr. Clynne is alert to see that the Sherman anti-trust law is not violated.

In addition to Mr. Clynne, the city is keeping tabs on the bakers. The law prohibiting "forestalling" which has been on the statute books for several years, is applicable, according to American Corporation Counsel Hornstein, and any violation of the law will be reported to the state's attorney's office by the city's investigators.

Keep Milk Supply Free.
Dr. George H. Young, health commissioner, is conferring with Gov. Dumesnil in an effort to prevent any disturbance of the milk supply by the quarantine order which prevents the shipment of nonpasteurized milk from the quarantined counties.

Dr. Young said Dr. Walter Armstrong of the food inspection department to Springfield to try to get Gov. Dumesnil to modify the order so milk may be shipped to the pasteurizing plants of the dairies in Chicago.

LARS HAUGEN LEADS PROFESSIONAL SKIERS AT CARY

LOCAL BOWLERS SHARE HONORS WITH VISITORS

Jellum of Norge Club Gets First Prize in Event for Amateurs.

RAIN MARS CONTESTS.

BY J. G. DAVIS.
Chicago and visiting skiers broke even in the international meet held yesterday at Cary under the auspices of the Norge Ski Club. Krist Jellum of the home club won first prize in the amateur event and Lars Haugen of Chippewa Falls, Wis., captured first money from a field of high class professionals. Anders Haugen won the standing jump in the professional class with a mark of 129 feet, his brother Lars taking second place with 122 feet. Arne Sletten of Chicago led in the amateur class with a leap of 100 feet.

Jellum had leaps of 110 and 102 feet, getting a total of 242-1-1 points. J. Guttorf of Beloit, with jumps of 102 and 96 feet, scored a total of 230. Lars Haugen, the tall representative from Chippewa Falls, made two perfect jumps of 125 and 127 feet, getting a point total of 250-2-3. Thoralf Knudsen of Milwaukee was second with marks of 121 and 125 feet for 271-1-3 points.

Society Seas Contests.

Despite the miserable weather, nearly 2,500 spectators attended. A party of 100 went out on a "society" special. R. T. Crane III. was host to fifty-five, and W. H. Field to a party of thirty-eight. Frank B. Bove and party went out on a special car on an early train. The thrills of ski jumping kept them there until the finish, when Alex Hoenken roared up the tournament by turning a somersault.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Hibbard, Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Gillette, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McIlroy, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg Fairbank, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cable, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Eyerson, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Crane III., Mrs. H. A. Maxwell, Mrs. Arthur Havemeyer of New York, Miss Gladys Hamilton, Miss Helen Cuddey, Miss Amy Brewer of San Francisco, J. T. McCutcheon, Laird Bell, Robert Lovett, and William G. Hibbard.

Rain Handicaps Jumpers.

Seldom has a ski event been held under more dismal conditions. Through the week the weather had been perfect, but early yesterday morning a thaw set in, and for several hours previous to starting there was a slight drizzle of rain. This was thick enough at times almost to obscure the top of the slide. As the afternoon wore on the drizzle increased in intensity until it developed into a rain.

Such conditions the descent of

runners down the slide was something akin to shooting the chutes. The men were unable to get up any speed, and after the first few trials it was evident that record breaking was out of the question. On the day preceding some of the men had gone close to 135 feet.

Haugen Beats Former Mark.

Lars Haugen, who has a liking for the Cary slide, won the national professional championship there in January, 1912, with a total of 263 points. The slide was not then in good shape, but yesterday he beat his former mark by eighteen points. Thoralf Knudsen of Milwaukee, who finished second, jumped in the style, his last of four landing him one point ahead of Anders Haugen, national champion in 1910 and holder of the American standing jump record for 1911 and 1912.

Ragnar Omtved, national professional

champion in 1913 and 1914 and holder of the world's standing jump record of 160 feet, was in poor form, his two jumps being 115 feet. He took fourth place with a total of 208. His failure was something of a surprise, as he won the standing jump at the recent meet at Koushi, Ore. W. H. Hargrove, the little Illinoisian, who is a former amateur champion, took last place.

Six Prizes to Chippewans.

Chicago landed six of the nine prizes in the amateur event, in which there were fifteen contestants. Krist Jellum, in his first attempt, made a perfect jump and in the contest scored with a mark of 102 feet. One of the others was able to beat J. Guttorf, who was the only other to go over the 100 mark. On the day preceding J. Guttorf was the only other to go over the 100 mark. On the day preceding J. Guttorf was the only other to go over the 100 mark.

Scores of Winners.

PROFESSIONAL.
1. L. Haugen, Chippewa Falls, Wis., 250-2-3.
2. T. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 230-1-3.
3. A. Haugen, Milwaukee, 225-1-3.
4. R. Omtved, Chicago, 215-1-3.
5. A. Knudsen, Duluth, 205-1-3.
6. L. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 195-1-3.
7. R. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 185-1-3.
8. W. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 175-1-3.
9. H. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 165-1-3.
10. J. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 155-1-3.

AMATEURS.

1. K. Jellum, Chicago, 125-1-3.
2. J. Guttorf, Beloit, 122-1-3.
3. A. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 121-1-3.
4. T. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 120-1-3.
5. R. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 119-1-3.
6. W. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 118-1-3.
7. H. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 117-1-3.
8. J. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 116-1-3.
9. L. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 115-1-3.
10. A. Knudsen, Milwaukee, 114-1-3.

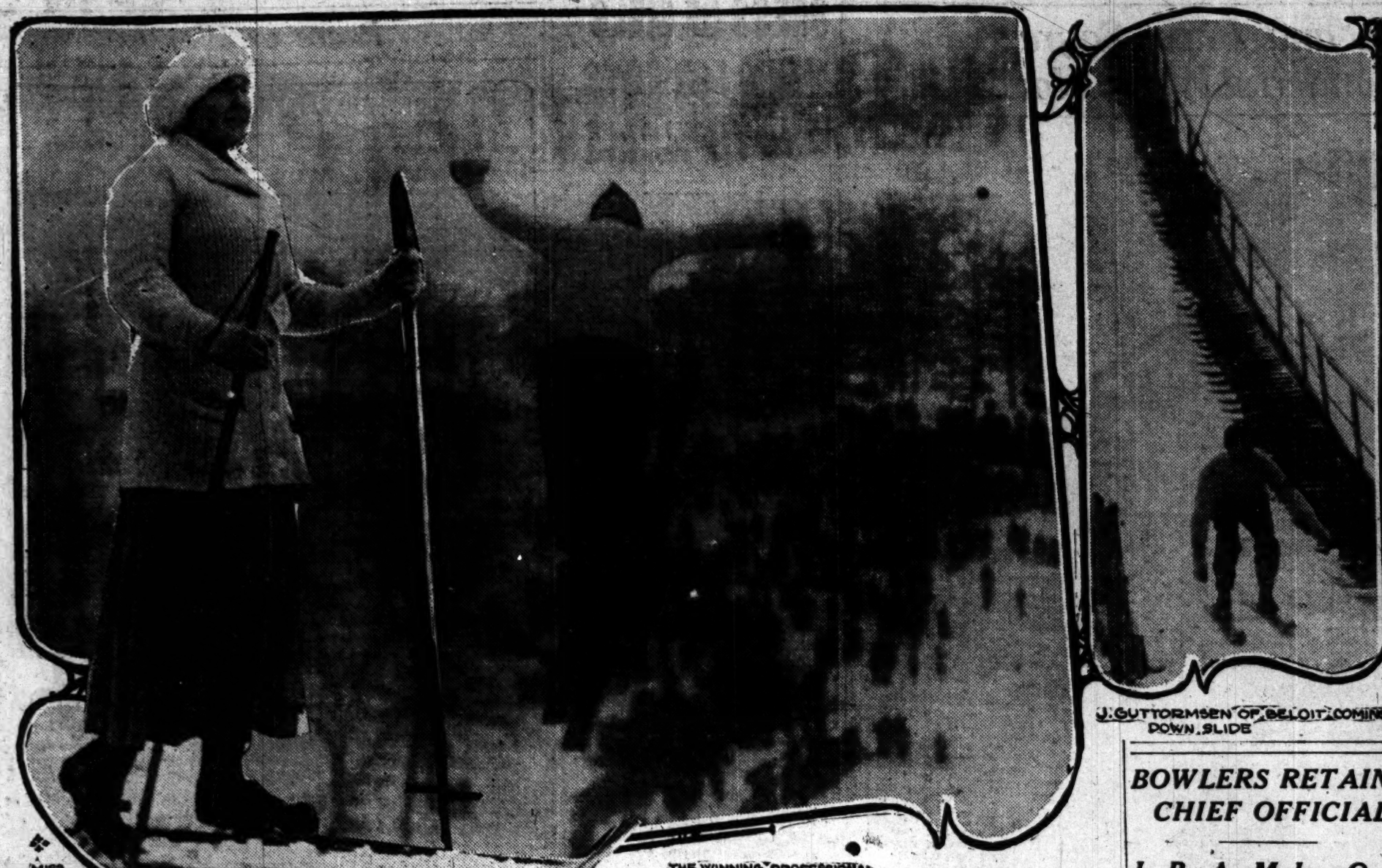
NOTES OF THE TOURNAMENT.

Although there was a fair sprinkling of late, the landing was comparatively soft, and there were no injuries.

The most thrilling feature of the tournament was a somersault by Axel Hoenken. After the professional had finished the third jump, he came down the slide, turned over, and made a perfect landing.

Thirty members of company C, Seventh regiment, in charge of Lieut. Sig. Newfield and Lieut. L. L. Loeke did excellent service in maintaining the runway. The men were to have given an exhibition drill, but heavy rain made that impossible, and the exhibition was called off.

Views from the Annual Ski Tournament at Cary Slide Yesterday.



MISS HILDA ERLANDSEN

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In the Wake of the News

BY RING W. LARDNER

WELCOME HOME.

I'd been away the whole day through, And was more than eager to behold my child—What men enjoy Long separations from his boys!

I heard him in the kitchen, where He always goes to help prepare The evening meal; I called his name, And he came running, how joyous he came.

My overcoat I hadn't shed, My hat was still upon my head, And, noticing my garb, the lad Inquired: "Where are you going, dad?"

BY JAMES CRUSHER.

If you had a corn worth \$48,500, would you worry about wrestling contests?

Frank Gotch, retired and undefeated wrestling champion of the world, was discovered last night in the lobby of one of the fashionable loop hotels. With Mrs. Gotch he arrived on the previous day from Humboldt, Ia., to take in the automobile show and do a bit of shopping. Earning a gray rain coat, a top hat, and a pair of heavy storm shoes, he was a fitting representative of the corn belt, as depicted by petty humorists.

Less than four years ago Gotch came to Chicago and defeated George Hackenschmidt in a return match for the mat championship of the world at Comiskey park. His part of the purse was around \$20,000, and the world marveled. It was the biggest match, and the biggest purse, ever received by the champion. Since then Gotch has been buried on his acres in Iowa, and, as far as the world knew, his days of glory and frenzied financial prosperity were over.

Here for Auto Show, Mat Champion Tells of Wrestling Wealth from Land.

A few weeks ago the Iowa farmer, however, dispelled any idea that he was worrying and longing for the good old days. "I guess any news I could give you would be old stuff," said the retired champion. "I've spent all my time raising grain and stock, but I like to slip into Chicago every little while. No, I didn't buy a new car. I have some cars which still are good."

"We had to stay pretty close to home for the last year because of the boy. But he's 11 months old now and we can leave him with the nurse and go around a bit. Raising corn, and cattle, and hogs is a lot of fun, but it's a lot of work. I've got a lot of stock, too, but the acre and it may go a lot higher."

"A lot of it is going to be sold at the present price of farm products. I am not worrying over the cost of a living. Corn is worth about 75 cents a bushel out there now and it may go a lot higher."

"I had 500 acres of corn this year and it went sixty-eight bushels to the acre. I've got a lot of stock, too, but the acre and it may go a lot higher."

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Wohlrab-Ryan Pair Driven Out of Six Day Grind at Dexter Pavilion.

BY WALTER H. ECKERSALL.

Unable to stand the terrific pace set by the leaders in the six day bicycle race at the International Amphitheater, the team of Walter Wohlrab and Martin Ryan was forced to give up the struggle shortly before 9 o'clock last night.

In the four hours preceding the retirement of the riders, by a fast pace combined with intermittent sprints, gained thirteen miles and seven laps on the mileage they were behind the record. It was this speed that put the Ryan-Wohlrab combination out of the grind.

Austrian Rider Applauded.

The withdrawal of Ryan and Wohlrab leaves eleven teams in the race. With the exception of Julian Provost of the Provost-Rudi Russe team, all of the riders were in good condition and riding strongly.

For seven hours last night Rudi Russe was on the track almost continuously, his teammate being unable to hang on to the field as they whirled around the big wooden bowl.

After being with the leaders for 1,218 miles, the French-Belgian team of Marcel Dupuy and Victor Linart dropped behind one lap during a terrific sprint at 5:32 p. m. Reggie McNamara started the race, and after leading for five miles he was passed by Drobach, Corry, Root, and Eger, which left a big gap for his partner, Moran, to close.

Moran in Tight Place.

Moran was unequal to the occasion and for the first time since the race started the famous Irish team was in danger of being dropped.

At the end of four and a half miles the leaders tired from their efforts and Moran was able to come up with the field. The riding of Hansen and Anderson was one of the features of the race.

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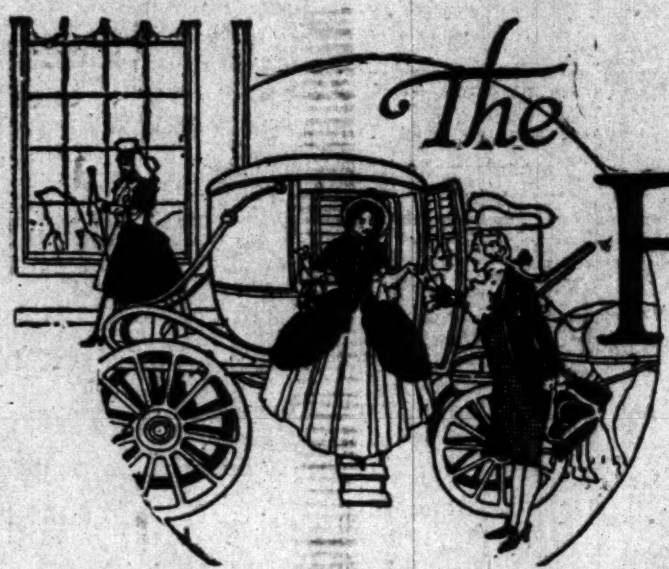
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FEBRUARY SALES OF SILKS, OF SHOES, AND OF GLOVES,
the February Sales of Infants' Apparel for spring, and of Petticoats in the new modes,
the February Sales of Silk Underwear, of Silk Hosiery, and of Silk Apparel, the February Sale
of Dinnerware—all of which begin this morning—and the many other special events planned for this month
lead us to anticipate an uninterrupted continuance of the remarkable selling activity so much in evidence during our January Sales.

We offer a most extensive assortment of domestic and foreign covert cloths
in tan, putty and sand shades, in widths varying from 50 to 54 inches, at
very special prices ranging from \$2 to \$5 yard.
Second Floor, North Room.

The Twenty-Fourth February Sale of Silks

MEASURED by events of the past, we believe you will acknowledge this February Sale of Silk in many ways the best this store has ever inaugurated. This event is distinguished by the remarkably extensive assortments of new silks presented—by most unusual prices which bring savings of pronounced importance, and by the presentation of the new colors, new designs and many entirely new as well as the staple silks—all on this February Silk basis of pricing.

5,000 Yards of Warp-Print Taffetas at 95c Yard

One of the most beautiful assortments of silks included in this sale—these 36-inch warp-print taffetas in soft Pompadour effects on light, medium and dark grounds, at 95c yard.

5,000 Yards of Crepe Meteors in the February Sale at \$1.55 Yard

These crepe meteors come in a complete range of colors. They are 40 inches wide, of a quality usually \$2 yard, priced \$1.55 yard.

Crepe de Chines at \$1.55 Yard

A heavy quality, 40 inches wide upon which the former price was \$2 yard. They come in a range of light and dark colors at \$1.55 yard.

Crepe de Chines at 95c Yard

These 40-inch all-silk crepe de Chines are of fine quality and come in a good range of the leading colors, February Sale price, 95c yard.

All-Silk Duvetyn at 75c Yard

This 40-inch all-silk duvetyn or peau de peche in myrtle, navy, plum, sand, taupe, Copenhagen, emerald and black is offered at 75c yard.

5,250 Yards of Beautiful Shirting Silks at \$1.18 Yd.

These are the finest shirting silks manufactured. They are of pure silk, 32 inches wide, and come in solid satin stripes and beautiful Canale stripes.

These qualities are sold regularly at \$2 and \$2.50 a yard and are standard values at these prices. The entire lot without reserve goes on sale this morning at \$1.18 a yard.

New Silks at \$1.15 Yard

40-inch all-silk cashmere de sole in colors and black.
36-inch satin royal in colors and black.
40-inch mousseline satin, in colors and black. All much under regular prices—at \$1.15 yard.

Black Silks Are Featured

Especially the favored weaves of crepes, failles, satins, taffetas and others at savings averaging from 15% to 33% of the usual retail prices

35-Inch Mousseline Satins at \$1.35 Yard

These soft lustrous mousseline satins are always in demand. They come in an almost unlimited range of light and dark colors, at \$1.35.

Two Extensive Assortments of Shirting Silks at 58c and 88c Yard

Beautiful 32-inch and 36-inch all-silk shirtings in neat striped effects, for shirts, pajamas, blouses and wash dresses, at 58c and 88c yard.

Plain Taffetas at \$1.05 & \$1.35 Yard

Thousands of yards of 36-inch plain taffeta silks in a full range of desirable colors are offered in two qualities at \$1.05 and \$1.35 yard.

36-Inch Satin de Luxe, Full Range of Colors, \$1.05 Yard and 35-Inch Satin Mes-saline, Full Range of Colors, 88c Yard

Silk-and-Wool Poplins at 78c Yard
A splendid collection of these 40-inch poplins of an excellent quality in an assortment of leading colors and black is priced at 78c yard.
Second Floor, North Room.

February Ushers in Many New Spring Silk Suits and Silk Frocks for Women

Any vague uncertainty as to the best of the new styles will be quickly dispelled today. The one-piece frock of silk for afternoon is here in most charming varieties of faille silks, crepe de Chines, taffetas and charmeuse.

Women who know "exclusiveness" will be certain to recognize it in the frock sketched at the right.

Charmeuse and Malines are combined. The waist is a wonderful creation of veiled mesh lace and Malines. But nothing more charming than the girle could be found. It's a sort of "butterfly" at the back and a low moyen age effect at the front. \$32.50.

Silk frocks, shirred and corded at the yoke, and embroidered in gilt thread; range in price from \$20 to \$65.

Silk poplin suits and faille silk suits which the well-dressed woman will wear now are trimmed in folds and bands of silk, have the new yoke skirts and the many smart touches that emphasize their newness. \$40 to \$95.

Wool suits for travel and street wear, in green and tan shades of covert cloth are very new. Serges and gabardines in dark shades have light-colored collars. \$25 to \$67.50.
Fourth Floor, North Room.



The New Silk Frocks and Suits for Young Girls

Are wondrously youthful in spirit and execution. The bolero jacket and the First Empire bodice seem expressly designed for them.

Crepe de Chine Frock Sketched at Left, \$30

The skirt is corded and shirred and joins the Empire bodice with a deep heading. Gilt thread is embroidered in military fashion at the front. In blue, green, sand shades and putty. \$30.

Other frocks from \$16.75, \$18.75, \$20 to \$35

Silk Poplin Suits in Empire Jacket Style Have the new straight cut-away front and shirred collars. \$37.50, \$40, \$47.50 to \$55.
Fourth Floor, South Room.

The February Sale of Dress Skirts

The new mode declares itself emphatically for the separate dress skirt of silk and of wool—and here are new assortments of these favored skirt modes—of taffeta, silk poplins and faille silk; black and white checks, covert cloths, unfinished worsted gabardines and serges, in black and navy blue.

Especially attractive is a black taffeta suspender skirt shirred in a novel princess effect, a noteworthy value at \$13.75.

Faille silk skirts have a very new deep hip shirring held by small straps and are most attractively priced at \$10.75.

A black and white checked skirt has strapped yoke piped with black satin. \$5.75.

Unfinished worsted in the new buckskin tan shade fashions a circular flare skirt priced at \$9.50. Gabardine skirts, box-pleated, in black, navy and the new putty shade are priced at \$10.75.
Fourth Floor, North Room.

Silk poplin fashions two very interesting skirts, one with full pleated panels at \$13.75 the other with flaring panels, \$15.
A covert cloth skirt has a deep fold held at the sides with two large pockets. Priced at \$13.75.

The Annual February Sale of High-Grade Shoes

50,000 Pairs of Women's, Children's, Men's and Boys' Shoes at Very Special Reduced Prices

This is undoubtedly the greatest shoe sale of the season, and we are sure every man and woman who knows the February Shoe Sales of the past will take advantage of this event this year to the fullest possible extent. Included are:

Women's Slippers—

In an elaborate display, dainty and novelty effects, popular for various occasions and every pair at most emphatic reductions from usual prices.

Boots and Low Shoes—

Women's and men's high grade boots and low cut shoes in a great many shapes, all correct for immediate spring or summer wear.

Outing Shoes—

Women's and men's outing and vacation shoes, for tramping, golf, yachting, touring, tennis and other purposes for vacation time.

Misses', Children's, Boys'—

Shoes from a most complete stock of correctly fitting shapes, for the different wear of dress, school or play. Expert fitting assured.

Feature Prices: \$4.25, \$5.75 and \$7.25 a Pair

Numerous short lines of women's boots and low-cut shoes, oxfords and slippers and men's boots and oxfords have been most radically reduced in price while the present assortments offer most extensive variety.

In fact, this February sale offers savings which should appeal to every one who knows the economy of buying footwear of the better kind.
Women's and Children's Shoes—Third Floor, South Room. Men's and Boys' Shoes—First Floor, South Room.

The Annual February Sale of Kid Gloves

Unusual prices always identify this sale. These are the more marked at this recurrence because those established standards of quality which make the prices for this sale so conspicuously advantageous have been rigidly preserved.

At \$1.65 pair—

2,000 pairs of best selected French kid gloves, mostly pique-sewn with imperial-point embroidery, in white with self or black embroidery, in black with self or white embroidery, and in colors, including new sand shade with self embroidery. For this sale at \$1.65 pair.
Women's Gloves, First Floor, North Room.

At 95c pair—

3,000 pair of pique and overseam gloves all from much higher priced lines. Some have heavy embroidered backs, others Paris-point embroidered backs—in white, black and colors. Specially priced at 95c pair.
Women's 12-button length glove gloves, in white, black, tan, gray and navy, \$2.35 pair.

Men's Kid Gloves at \$1.05 Pair

We have taken several broken lines of men's much higher priced street gloves and marked the assortment at such a low price that we are justified in expecting the entire quantity to be closed out quickly at \$1.05 pair.
Men's Gloves, First Floor, South Room.



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Infants' Wear—February Sale

Opening Day finds thousands and thousands of exquisite little garments, sparkling and smiling their welcome to you from every nook and cranny of the Baby Sections. To begin at the beginning:

For Very Tiny Babies—The Long White Dresses at 38c, 45c, 75c, \$1, up to \$12.75.

Little Smocked Frocks—Introduced today at \$1.55, \$1.95 to \$3.50.

Imported little frocks, wonderfully hand-embroidered, \$2.50, \$2.95, to \$5.50.
Little yoke dresses at 45c, 75c, 85c, \$1 to \$5.50.
Little Josephine dresses, special at 45c and \$1.
Little Mary Janes at \$1.95, \$2.55 and \$2.95.
Little Elizabeth Anns at \$1, \$1.50 to \$2.95.
Little Helen Marie frocks, long-waisted, from \$1, \$1.50, \$1.95 to \$10.75.

Little Frocks Pictured in the Merry Circle of Wee Winsome Folks Above.

Baby dress at \$1.55—Mary Jane frock at \$2.95—Josephine dress at 45c—Elizabeth Ann frock at \$1.95 and Oliver Twist suits at \$1.95, in a variety, for baby boys.
Third Floor, North Room.

The February Sale of Silk Petticoats

Today, for the first time, we present the outcome of those labors which preceded the February Sale, with the happy assurance that you will be delighted when you come to witness these results.

Here are petticoats with wee frills, rippling flounces, quaint pleatings, embroidered flounces, circular scalloped flounces, petticoats in every conceivable shade and tint and color.

Radium silk and taffeta souple are new in petticoats. Jersey silks, crepe de Chines, messalines, and peau de cygnes are lovelier than ever.

And the values will forever stand out as vastly better, vastly bigger, than before.

2,000 Messaline Petticoats at \$2.55

One style with frill-trimmed flounce, taken from this great assortment, is sketched above at the right.

5,000 Taffeta Souple Petticoats, \$5.95, \$7.50

One style at \$5.95, with a richly embroidered flounce, is sketched at the left. Others at \$3.95, \$5, \$5.95 and \$10.75.

And special provision has been made in petticoats in the extra large sizes, beautiful new styles and colors at \$3.95, \$5, \$7.50 and \$10.75.
Third Floor, North Room.



February Sale of Silk Hosiery

This, another annual event which starts the busy month of February, offers the opportunity of the season for purchasing silk hosiery at most advantageous prices.

At 75c pair—

For Women's Eiffel Lavender Top Hosiery

Black, thread-silk hose, made with cotton soles, heels and toes and elastic cotton garter top, in the February Sale, at 75c pair.

At \$1.35 pair—

For Women's High Class Novelty Silk Hosiery

About twelve hundred pairs of novelty silk stockings in black, white and some colors.

In this assortment are lace insert effects, hand embroidery, brocade lace effects and a great variety of other novelties, all greatly reduced to \$1.35 pair.

At 50c pair—

For Men's Pure-Thread Silk Hose

These come in black, white, navy, gray and tan. They are full regular made with reinforced soles, heels and toes. February sale price is 50c pair.
Men's Hosiery, First Floor, South Room. Women's Hosiery, 1st Floor, North Room.

The February Sale of Silk Gloves

Any opportunity for securing silk gloves of standard quality at a special price is a welcome one to most women.

So we expect this announcement to be met with instant interest.

Here are fully 7,000 pairs of silk gloves at February sale prices—and every pair of excellent quality.

At 65c pair—

Short two-clasp Milanese silk gloves in black and white with Paris-point embroidery—usually priced at a half more—65c pair.

At 95c pair—

Long, 16-button length gloves of heavy triple-thread Milanese silk, with Paris-point embroidery, in white and black. Usually a half more—95c pair.
First Floor, North Room.

New Silk Blouses for Spring A Tempting Array for the February Sale

Enter the new silk blouses for 1914—proclaiming the crepe de Chine, tulle, um silk, soft tulle, and Georgette crepe will vie for your favor in a variety of delightful different blouse modes.
Today New Blouses Are Featured at \$5.75 and \$6.75.
Just for the present wear comes the "sand" and "flesh" radium silk blouse sketched at the left. The prevailing military note is evident in the embroidered front and the high collar. \$5.75.
Linking smartness and practicality, the crisp taffeta blouse sketched at the right boasts a tiny pocket equipped with a tinner kerchief. In solid dark colors and multi-colored stripes, sand and green, rose and white, and all-white on the dark silk background—\$5.75. Fourth Floor, North Room.



February Sale of Silk Underwear



For this sale we feature Glove-Silk underwear for women at very special prices.

The economy of silk underwear, now so well known to all women, is emphasized by this well-known line. Glove-Silk underwear is delightfully luxurious in quality, yet so durable and so easily washed that it outwears almost every other kind.

Special attention has been given the fit, the finish, the reinforcements and embroidery of Glove-Silk underwear to make it the best silk underwear manufactured.

Special February Sale prices—

Glove-Silk vests with plain fronts and a great variety of handsome designs, \$1.75.
Glove-Silk union suits, plain fronts and crocheted tops, knee length, specially priced at \$2.25.
Glove-Silk union suits, embroidered fronts, and ribbon shoulder straps, 85c.
Glove-Silk knicker bloomers in plain, shirred and embroidered patterns to match the vests, \$2.35.

Glove-Silk ankle length bloomers, in black, navy, taupe and green, made either with accordion plaited skirt effect or cuffed ankle, \$3.35.

Novelty pieces of silk underwear, high class garments, reduced to \$3.35.
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